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## ALLEGES DARING ATTACK IN OPEN DAYLIGHT

Police Are Told How Girl is  
Knocked Senseless, Bound  
and Gagged

### MASKED MAN LEVELS GUN THEN GRAPPLES WITH GIRL

Stocking Stuffed in Victim's  
Mouth Stifles Cries  
Until Rescued

Claiming that her assailant was the same man who had accosted her on the night of June 9, last, when she put him to flight by hitting him with her suitcase, Cora Kelly, aged 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kelly, 611 Fruit street, has related to the police a story of how she was knocked down with a revolver at her home last Monday morning at 10:30, bound and gagged and found an hour and a half later by her mother, who had returned home from work at a local packing house on the railroad tracks.

The Kelly girl says that she was in a front room of her home on the morning in question. Hearing a noise in the kitchen, she went there and found a masked man who leveled a revolver at her.

"I've got you now," said the man, at the same time making an attempt to hit her with his gun. Miss Kelly struck the revolver from the man's hand, at the same time reaching for a sharp carving knife.

Her assailant, however, according to Miss Kelly's story, was too quick for her. He grabbed up the revolver from the floor, at the same time grappling with the girl. A struggle ensued in which the girl sustained two slight cuts on one of her hands.

This is the last that the girl remembers having occurred until she was found by her mother.

Miss Kelly, according to the mother's story, was lying in the bathroom, her feet against the door. The girl's feet and hands were tied, a stocking had been stuffed in her mouth as a gag and a cloth tied around her head to keep the gag in place.

The girl describes her assailant as being a man of short and stocky build. She is positive that the man is the same who accosted her on the night of June 9, when she hit him with a suitcase she was carrying, and succeeded in escaping from him to the house of an uncle who lives nearby.

The occurrence is said to have taken place on Washington avenue.

Miss Kelly was alone at her home when the man entered, both her father and mother being at work and the children being away at school.

## MEXICAN AFFAIRS IN CHARGE OF WILSON

Canada Confers With Carranza  
Officials; Battle Near at  
Hand for Torreón

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—President Wilson assumed personal charge of the Mexican situation today. He spent several hours in consultation with Secretary of War Garrison.

Consul Canada at Vera Cruz cabled that he had again conferred with Carranzista officials regarding the situation at Naco, Ariz. The contents of the message were not stated.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Dec. 17.—Ex-federalists in Maytorena's Sonora army cut off Captain Camou's retreat at Agua Prieta from Fronteras after defeating him there. Camou is wounded.

Five automobiles were sent from Agua Prieta to carry reinforcements to Camou, but they were also cut off. Camou is still fighting desperately fifteen miles south of here to prevent capture.

EL PASO, Tex., Dec. 17.—A strong column of Carranzistas under General Hifonso Vasquez is moving on Torreón. The column was met Tuesday afternoon by Villa forces at a point west of San Pedro, only a few miles from Torreón, and a severe battle resulted.

### WEATHER FORECAST

For Santa Ana and Vicinity—Rain tonight and Friday. Northeasterly winds.

# GERMAN RAID STIRS ALL ENGLAND TO ARMS

## SEVEN INCHES IS TOTAL OF RAIN UP TO DATE

1.01 inches for Storm; Nearly  
Half as Much as Last  
Year's Total

### STORM GENERAL IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Saves Orange Growers in Riv-  
erside and San Bernardino  
\$1,000,000

Date	Storm	Total
Oct. 3	.71	
Oct. 4	.98	.79
Oct. 21	.22	1.01
Oct. 30	.37	1.38
Nov. 9	.37	1.75
Nov. 10	1.45	3.20
Dec. 1	.55	3.75
Dec. 2	.08	3.83
Dec. 4	.13	3.96
Dec. 6	.08	4.04
Dec. 11	.45	4.49
Dec. 12	1.50	5.99
Dec. 17	1.61	7.60

This table shows at a glance the dates of the various rainstorms in Santa Ana, the amounts and the totals. The figures are reproduced from the rainfall chart at S. Hill & Son's hardware store on East Fourth street.

The total rainfall for last season was 14.67 inches. Up to December 20 of last year only 1.68 inches had fallen. The total for this season to date, as will be seen by the above chart, is already nearly one-half of last season's total.

At Irvine the fall for yesterday and last night's storm was .76 inches, making a total for the season of 4.51 inches. At Orange the fall for the storm was 1.29 inches, a total for the season of 6.70, and at Garden Grove the fall was 1.12, a total of 7.32.

Starting shortly after 7 o'clock yesterday morning and continuing throughout the day and greater part of the night, a gentle, soaking rain was general throughout Southern California and was a holiday gift than which nothing better could have been bestowed here.

The rain brought smiles to the faces of ranch owners and business men, having eliminated all present danger from frost and being a harbinger of increased trade for the next few days.

Owners of orange groves at San Bernardino, Pomona and Redlands, where frost dangers are more pronounced than in Orange county, are rejoicing over the rain, it being claimed at Redlands that the rainfall saved the growers more than \$1,000,000.

The heaviest rainfall was at Pasadena with 1.41 inches. Los Angeles was blessed with 1.16 inches. The rain was general throughout the southern part of the state. A wild storm raged on the coast. Several thousand dollars' damage was sustained at Long Beach, where the heaviest sea of the year wrecked several houses and flooded business establishments located on the beach.

A portion of the wharf at Huenne was carried away.

Giovanni Castenoli, an Italian fisherman, was washed overboard from the launch Roma and drowned while en route from Ventura to San Pedro during the storm of last night.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Central and Northern California has been drenched by rains which the weather bureau declares to be worth millions to the ranchers. A downpour of 1.80 inches of rain had fallen here by 1 o'clock.

### FEEDING OF SALMON IS WORRY TO OREGONIANS

PORTLAND, Ore., Dec. 17.—A discussion of the best means of raising funds to defray the expense of feeding salmon fry while being held in retaining ponds occupied the time of the state fish commission which met here today.

### N. Y. G. O. P. HOLDS BIG POLITICAL POW-WOW

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Jubilant over recent successes and the laying of plans for the future will be the program of the Republican state committee when it goes into session today with the sixty-two county chairmen. A dinner at the Waldorf-Astoria, with a guest list of 600, will take place in the evening.

## Rush Made to Join Colors in Nation's Defense HIDDEN MINES DESTROY THREE STEAMSHIPS

### ANOTHER SEA DUEL SINKS CRUISER

England's Navy on Qui Vive  
for Chance to Locate  
Enemy's Fleets

### FIGHTING ON LAND GROWS MORE BITTER AS DAYS GO

Unusual Grist of Rumors and  
Conjecture Prevail Through  
War-Affected Nations

LONDON, Dec. 17.—That three steamships were sunk by mines in British waters within the last few hours, was announced today. The Elterwater was lost off Flamborough head and six of the crew are missing. An unidentified vessel was lost at the same location. One crew and passengers escaped in lifeboats. The freight steamship Princess Olga was lost off Hartlepool on Wednesday. The crew was saved.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—That the Austrian training ship Beethoven has been destroyed by a mine and her crew of cadets lost, was reported here tonight. The scene of the disaster was not stated. It is believed to have been in the Adriatic Sea.

BUENOS AYRES, Dec. 17.—Unconfirmed reports that the German cruiser Dresden, the last surviving vessel of Admiral von Spee's squadron, has been sunk by the British cruiser Glasgow, were current today.

MANILA, P. I., Dec. 17.—Forty men of the crew of the German cruiser Emden, who were left on Cocos Island when the Australian cruiser Sydney discovered the Emden and forced her to run ashore some time ago, have captured a collier, mounted two Maxims on her, and are now raiding commerce in the Pacific, according to a report received here.

The report came through the officers of the British steamer Malacca, which has arrived at Jolo. The report has not been officially confirmed.

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 17.—The Argentine cruiser Pueyrredon is reported to have captured the German armed steamship Patagonia after a long chase. It is alleged that the Patagonia violated Argentine neutrality.

TRIESTE, Austria, Dec. 17.—It is officially admitted here that the training ship Beethoven sank with all aboard. It carried a crew of Austrian naval cadets. The number was not stated.

ATHENS, Dec. 17.—The relations of Turkey and Greece were badly strained today, the immediate cause of ill-feeling being the case of a non-commissioned naval officer attached to the Greek legation at Constantinople who has been sentenced to death there. For some unknown reason Greece demanded that he be surrendered and Turkey refused the request.

### TURKS ARE REPORTED TO BE OPENING LETTERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Americans writing to their friends in Turkey should be careful not to write anything about Turks or their government, according to authoritative reports reaching here from the Ottoman empire. The Turkish authorities open most letters, it was asserted, and Americans in Turkey may suffer inconvenience as a result of unneutral statements.

### WESTERN GUNNERS HOLD 1914-15 CONTEST TODAY

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Western clubs of the National Rifle Association of America opened their 1914-15 contests here today.

### Just Two Pictures Pertaining to the War



UPPER picture shows a scene in Belgrade, capital of Serbia, shortly before its occupation by the Austrians. Lower picture shows M. Turpin, said to be the inventor of a deadly gas to be exploded in shells to smother Germans on the battlefield.

## BELLIGERENTS IN CONFLICTING CLAIMS

Each Claim Success in Various  
Theaters of War; Kaiser  
Improves in Health

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The usual conflicting statements from the capitals of the warring European nations were received today. The French war officials claimed the capture of several German trenches between the Lys and the sea, and described the artillery duels in the Aisne, Champagne and Argonne regions.

The German statement completely denied the reports of French gains. By wireless, the Berlin foreign office asserted that all French attacks in the western zone had been heavily repulsed. It was also claimed the collapse of the Russian offensive against Silesia and Posen provinces.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 17.—Defeat by the Turks of Russian forces in the Trans-Caucasia territory after a series of battles lasting for several days, was claimed in a war office statement today. It is claimed that the Russians are retreating toward Kotur.

NISH, Serbia, Dec. 17.—During a battle at Tarlak for the possession of the heights dominating Belgrade, the Serbians captured 10,000 Austrians, making the total of Austrian prisoners in Serbia 30,000. It is claimed the entire Austrian force operating in Serbia is now only 30,000.

BERLIN (wireless via Sayville), Dec. 17.—Prince Von Buelow started for Rome today to assume charge of the German embassy. It is variously reported that his special mission is to prevent Italy from participating in the war on the side of the allies.

The Petrograd official report claims continued successes in Russian Poland, ignoring the German claims.

The Austrian war office issued a statement that the Austrians are pursuing the Russians in a retreat from Galicia where a previous Petrograd dispatch had reported Russian success.

The Kaiser is reported as improving. An American leaving Berlin on Sunday said no alarm was felt there as to his condition.

### WARSHIP ORDERED TO CANAL ZONE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—In response to Colonel Goethals' request for two destroyers to aid in policing Panama Canal waters for the enforcement of neutrality rules, Secretary Daniels announced last night that he had decided to order one vessel, probably the cruiser Tacoma, to Panama.

This action was taken on receipt of additional information from Colonel Goethals regarding the circumstances which led him to ask for the destroyers. Colonel Goethals reported that no new violations of the neutrality of the Panama Canal have been committed.

The following message was sent to the navy radio station at Colon:

"So far as practicable, inform all vessels approaching the Canal Zone, of limitations under which they must use their radio apparatus in territorial waters of the zone."

This step by Secretary Daniels ends the incident growing out of Colonel Goethals' request of last Saturday for two destroyers.

### PACIFIC COAST DAIRYMEN HEAR TALKS ON SILAGE

CHEHALIS, Wash., Dec. 17.—A number of addresses and papers dealing with the raising and keeping of forage for dairy cows were heard by the State Dairymen's Association today.

### DAMAGE DONE BY HIGH BALBOA TIDE

Four Houses Below Balboa  
Injured; Bulkhead Washed  
by Swells Today

Balboa, Dec. 17.—Considerable damage was done along the sand-spit this morning by the unusually high tide, which was accompanied by heavy swells. Four houses in the narrow part of the sandspit below Balboa were damaged. Three of the cottages belong to Los Angeles people. One cottage was nearly wrecked. Mrs. Hill was in her home when the waters threatened it. Her furniture was moved out. The highest tide came between 9 and 10 o'clock. The bulkheads were damaged.

### DEATH FOLLOWS OPERATION

VENICE, Dec. 17.—E. K. Kellner, a former Arizona banker and mine operator, reputed to be a multi-millionaire, died here today following an operation.

## SCORES DEAD IN SHELLING OF PORTS

Daring Teuton Vessels Slip  
Past Defending Fleet in  
Mist Blanket

### TOWNS LAID IN WASTE BY FIRE FROM ENEMY

British Cabinet Called Into  
Extra Session to Consider  
Country's Peril

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The latest lists place the number of killed during the German bombardment of Scarborough, Whitby and Hartlepool at seventy-five civilians and seven soldiers, and the wounded at 267 civilians and fourteen soldiers.

Many of the wounded will probably die. The majority of the victims at Hartlepool were women and children, including fifteen school boys.

The provincial and London press are commenting on the government's determination not to alter the disposition of the British fleet on account of the raid, contending that the present situation is of the most favorable.

Some thirty persons are known to have been killed in the bombardment of yesterday, while the number of injured runs well over 100. Churches were ruined, hotels, dwellings and stores were destroyed by the bombardment, which endured 40 minutes, after which the Germans steamed northward from Scarborough.

The gun flashes indicated that big warships were firing. One shell that has been picked up was 12 inches in diameter and 33 inches long.

The exploding shells of the bold cruisers which slipped through the British fleet and the guard ships and dodged the mines thickly strewn in the North Sea, dug holes in the streets of Scarborough so wide and deep that a railway truck could pass through them.

The German cruiser force, made up of their fastest cruisers, escaped in the mist from the British squadron sent to cut them off.

A wave of intense anger has spread over England because of the attack and bitter denunciation is heard everywhere of a policy which permits the shelling of undefended towns.

The fortress at the mouth of the Tees is supposed to give some protection to the important shipping base of Hartlepool, but Whitby and Scarborough are unprotected.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—The British cabinet met today to discuss the German raid on the British coast yesterday. All the members were present. Asquith, Churchill and Kitchener were the first to arrive.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—Recruiting offices reported tonight that this was their busiest day for three months. From factories, the professions and all walks of life, thousands of volunteers appeared. The rush is attributed wholly to the German raid on the coast.

SCARBOROUGH, England, Dec. 17.—The York coast was raked today for German spies. Reports are current of a mysterious flashlight signalling along the coast the night before the German raid on the English coast. It is suspected German secret agents guided the raiders. It is estimated today that the damage done will reach \$200,000. The wreckage is being cleared away, pavements are being repaired and trolley light and telephone wires are being restored.

BERLIN (wireless to London), Dec. 17.—"The French continued their attacks on the Germans near Nieport but were unsuccessful," said the war office report today. "Their assaults in the Zillebecke and La Basse regions were also heavily repulsed. Our artillery likewise frustrated a French attempt to bridge the Aisne at Soissons."



## HOY SUCCEEDS HILLYARD AS CHIEF DEPUTY

Miss Helen Craemer Remains; Miss Whitney Names Her Four Assistants

W. W. Hoy, a division engineer under the County Highway Commission, has been appointed as chief deputy by County Surveyor J. L. McBride to succeed Warren R. Hillyard, who has resigned to go to Manhattan, Nev. Hillyard's resignation has already taken effect, and Hoy has commenced his duties under McBride, though as yet he has not severed his connection with the county highway work. Until the highway work is completed he will put a part of his time in on that work.

Today other announcements were made concerning the appointment of deputies to be made with the beginning of the new terms of county officers. The new term starts the first Monday in January.

William C. Jerome, county auditor-elect, will appoint Miss Helen Craemer of Orange as his deputy. Miss Craemer has served in that capacity under the present county auditor. She is recognized as unusually competent and is one of the most popular young women employed at the courthouse.

Miss Justine Whitney, county recorder-elect, stated today that she would appoint Miss Edwina Collins as her chief deputy. The other deputies will be Misses Hattie Powers, Berge Trumble and Ruby Cameron. Misses Collins, Powers and Trumble were employed in the recorder's office under former Recorder G. E. Peters, at which time Miss Whitney was chief deputy. Miss Trumble is at present a deputy under Recorder J. M. Backs. Miss Whitney's deputies, to be appointed when she takes office, are all thoroughly competent, and with the exception of Miss Cameron have had experience in the office.

Sheriff-elect Jackson recently announced his appointments. While changes may be made by some of the re-elected county officials in their deputies, no changes have been announced.

## U. S. OPERATORS SEEK COAL TRADE

Would Compete With Wales for Rich Market in South America; Charges Probed

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—Plans of Virginia-Tennessee-Kentucky coal operators for developing trade in South America figured prominently in yesterday's session of the Senate Committee investigating charges that the Southern Railway "bottled up" this coal field.

Frank C. Wright of Bristol, Tenn., stated that as soon as new piers were completed at Charleston, S. C., an attempt would be made to compete with Welsh coal in South America.

Attorneys for the Southern inquired if the heavy return cargoes of British ships carrying coal to South America were not such a large factor in the sale of Welsh coal that American operators could not overcome the advantage.

"We think not," responded Mr. Wright. "Of course that is one of the problems this government faces in purchasing ships for the commercial business."

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See our Odorless Gas Floor Furnace.

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## M'PHEE NAMED AGAIN ON THE ASYLUM BOARD

Gov. Johnson Reappoints Santa Ana Man to Position Held by Him Eight Years

Today Horace McPhee of Santa Ana was appointed by Gov. Hiram W. Johnson as a member of the board of managers of the Southern California Hospital, an asylum for the insane and inebriates located at Patton, San Bernardino county.

McPhee was first appointed to the asylum board by Gov. Pardee, and was reappointed by Gov. Gillett, just before Gov. Gillett's term expired. McPhee's four-year term expired on December 10. He is reappointed for another four-year term.

The position pays \$10 a day for attendance at meetings of the board of managers, and traveling expenses. McPhee ran the Santa Ana Blade for many years. He retired from the newspaper business last September.

## COLD CONTINUES THROUGHOUT THE EAST

Forecast Indicates 36-Hour Siege; Frigid Weather Below Zero Mark

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The government weather bureau today predicted continued cold throughout the East for the next thirty-six hours.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—Another cold wave swept into the southwest yesterday and sent temperatures to new low weather marks for the season. The Lake region and the Mississippi valley and east still suffers from the cold spell that has prevailed for several days.

The overnight fall in the mercury in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma, Iowa and Nebraska ranged from 8 to 12 degrees. Texas alone continued to experience warmer weather.

Topeka, Kan., reported the coldest December 16 in the weather bureau records of the last twenty-eight years with a temperature of 5 degrees below zero.

In northwestern Kansas the mercury reached 11 degrees below zero. The weather bureau gave a prediction of warmer weather for today.

The temperature at 8 o'clock yesterday was 3 degrees above zero. At 11 an advance of 4 degrees had been recorded and in the evening 10 degrees above was recorded. Then the weather steadied and the increase in warmth became virtually negligible.

HELENA, Mont., Dec. 17.—Have, in the northern part of Montana, was the coldest place in the United States yesterday. The government thermometer registered 24 degrees below zero. The thermometer here registered 9 degrees below, and at Kalispell 2 below.

**Prompt Action Will Stop Your Cough.**  
When you first catch a cold (often indicated by a sneeze or cough), break it up at once. The idea that "it does not matter" often leads to serious complications. The remedy which immediately and easily penetrates the lining of the throat is the kind demanded. Dr. King's New Discovery, sold in the prittion, loosens the phlegm. You feel better at once. "It seemed to reach the very spot of my cough" is one of many honest testimonials. 50c at your Druggist.—Advertisement.

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### Pleasing Gifts

—Comforters, blankets, spreads, draperies, table linen, napkins, table padding, towels, sheets and cases.

### What to Give Him

—Give a man something he'll be proud to use and you can't go amiss on his gift.  
—Pure linen handkerchiefs, with initial, priced at.....25c each

### Silk Petticoats

—will gladden the heart of any lady. See our splendid collection.....\$2.50 and \$3.50

### Infants' Goods for Gifts

—Infants' toques, silk caps, booties, knitted jackets, coats and dresses.

### Make This Your Shopping Place

—We solve the question where to purchase your holiday goods, sensible, serviceable gifts. Every one has a friend to be remembered at Christmas time. Why not make it an opportunity to give something useful—something that will benefit the receiver.  
—Remember only a few more days before Christmas.



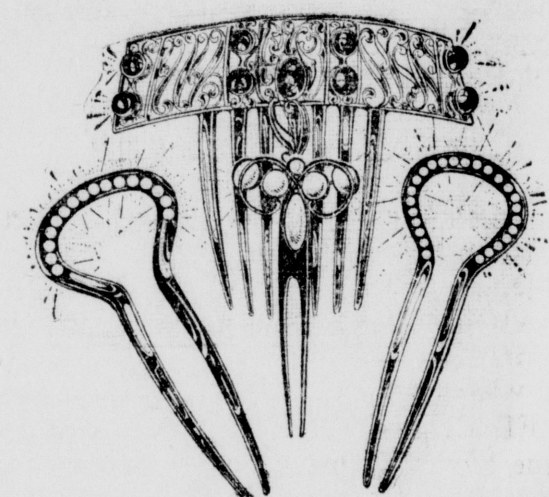
### Christmas Shopping Bags

—the superiority of our shopping bags is not only noticeable in the large assortment and lateness of style, but in the economy of prices asked. Remember, big new assortments shown. This fact should be an additional reason for buying your Christmas bags here. \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 and up to \$6.00.

### Christmas Handkerchiefs

—Our handkerchief stock offers unusual inducements to holiday buyers. Handkerchiefs take all the worry out of holiday gift picking, for when one is in doubt what to get, a handkerchief solves the problem.  
—there is a large variety to select from at each price up from 5c.

Embroidered Handkerchiefs at .....10c, 15c, 25c up to \$1.50  
Ladies' Pure Linen Handkerchiefs at .....15c to 50c  
Men's Linen Handkerchiefs at .....15c to 50c



The Christmas Shopping Time Is Here

### Christmas

### Hair Ornaments

—jeweled combs and hair pins make nice gifts; that is, the good kind like you find at this store. Combs and pins richly jeweled in white and colored stones in dainty designs.

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—it is the store where the ladies trade when buying for themselves. It is the store where you should trade if you would please her in your Christmas gift.

### Dainty New Neckwear

—styles out of the ordinary. Gotten up for Christmas gifts and very beautiful. Many new shapes in collars, sets and vestees; all the latest novelties in neckwear .....25c to \$2.50

### Reliable Kid Gloves

—if you are in doubt, give gloves. They are always useful, always acceptable. But be sure they are good gloves. We carry only the best brands—gloves of the highest type. Trustworthy kinds at .....\$1.00 and \$1.50

### Silk Hosiery for Gifts

—reliable kinds .....50c to \$1.50

### Silk, Black, Colored Dress Goods

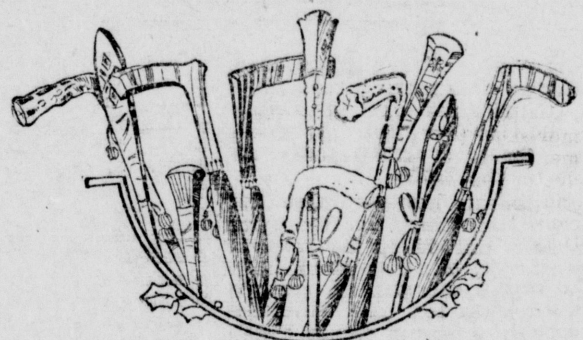
—Can you imagine a more pleasurable gift than a dress pattern of silk or colored dress goods or black goods.  
Black Silks at .....\$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50  
Elegant Black Dress Goods at .....\$1.00 to \$2.50  
A large assortment of colored dress goods in popular materials at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and up.  
—The best place to buy useful gifts—Sweaters, Toques, Knitted Skirts, Auto Robes, Bath Robe Blankets, Aprons, House Dresses, Kimonos, women's and children's coats.

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Men's Umbrellas \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00 \$2.50



Don't Wait Another Day! Now Is the Time to Buy!

### MINES EXPLODE IN PATH OF ATLANTIC LINER

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Two mines exploded twenty feet from the bow of the Cunard liner Transylvania while it was steaming through the English

channel in a gale on December 6, according to passengers aboard the liner, which arrived here yesterday. Near the bow there shot a jet of flame far into the air and the water followed, falling on the deck of the liner. While the Transylvania was still rock-

ing like a cork another explosion occurred off the starboard bow. Every passenger was thrown out of his bunk and around the stateroom.

—Store open evenings after December 13. Merigold Bros.

## MUNICIPAL EXPFRIMENTS

(From Los Angeles Financial News.)

In view that the alleged wise men who are running the Government of the City of Los Angeles, after several months of preparatory work, have taken formal steps to acquire the distributing system of the Southern Edison Company as a municipal distributing system for electrical energy generated by the aqueduct power plants, some facts and figures regarding municipal experiments in other cities are appropos and are unusually interesting to the persons who pay the bills, the taxpayers.

Cleveland, Ohio, is always pointed out as the one city where the municipality own and control not only public utilities but which also runs municipal dance halls at three cents per dance; municipal peanut and pop corn stands the product at three cents per bag, and municipal garages. This year the dance hall cost the taxpayers \$13,575, the peanut and pop corn stands \$97,000 and the garage \$9,239 in the way of appropriations from the taxpayers.

In its utility experiments not a dollar of all the millions invested has ever been returned to the taxpayers in the way of alleged profits and the people there have learned to their sorrow what municipal ownership of public utilities means. In the Cincinnati Enquirer of recent date is printed a story by a special correspondent of that paper regarding the experiments made by Cleveland. Los Angeles taxpayers will find much food for thought in the story of the Ohio city. Says the Enquirer correspondent:

"In the decade between 1900 and 1910 the population of Cleveland increased 48 per cent or nearly 50 per cent a year and the total amount of taxes paid by the citizens of Cleveland increased from \$8,623,957, in 1900, to \$13,192,038 in 1910, or an average annual increase of 12 per cent in that period of four years. The municipal bonded debt has increased from \$28,419,543 in 1909, to \$40,729,983 in 1913, an increase of about 12 per cent for each year.

"Cleveland's municipal ownership experiments have attracted much attention throughout the country. Invariably they are pictured as being wonderfully successful, and in every report given out are shown large profits for the people and low prices for the consumers. Yet it is a cold fact that not a single dollar of the millions invested in these projects, or of the alleged profits, has ever been returned to the people or to the public treasury for the mitigation of the tax burden.

"Cleveland's best advertised municipal enterprise

is its electric light plant. The city has been in the light business since 1906, when it acquired the Brooklyn plant. This plant has always made money—on paper. Each year an official statement is given out showing handsome profits, but \$306,665.75 of real money put up by the taxpayers has gone into this plant and never a cent has come out. No interest has ever been paid on the investment, no depreciation fund has been set aside and now it is officially announced the plant is to be abandoned and scrapped, so that a large part of the investment will be a total loss. And all the time the rates to consumers have been as high or higher than the private rates.

"A new electric plant has just been opened; \$2,500,000 of bonds were authorized for this project. It has been two years in the building, but now that the generating station is ready for business, the city finds itself without an adequate distribution system to deliver its product to prospective customers. Presumably more bonds must be sold and another two years consumed before the plant can serve any considerable number of customers. Meanwhile interest on the original bonds is being paid by the taxpayers. The land upon which this plant was built belongs to the water department, and because it was taken from that department it became necessary to sell \$250,000 of waterworks bonds to buy adjacent land for a filtration plant.

"Municipal dance halls—three cents a dance—called for an appropriation this year of \$13,575. Municipal peanut and popcorn stands—three cents a bag—drew \$97,000 appropriation, while the municipal garage cost the taxpayers \$9,239.

"Cleveland has a municipal steam heat plant. It was built with money taken from the water works fund. It cost about \$375,000. Great things were predicted for this plant, and it was officially declared to be a start toward an enterprise which would supply everybody with heat at a cost much below either coal or gas. A year ago the officials in charge published detailed figures showing that the cost of municipal steam, including interest on the investment, lost taxes, depreciation and everything else, was only 23.6 cents per 1,000 pounds of steam, while the selling price was 30 cents; so a handsome profit was certain. After being in operation over a year, it has leaked out that less than 200 customers are being supplied by this costly enterprise, and that the actual cost of all steam sold was over 50 cents per 1,000 pounds for operating expenses only, making a net loss of 20 cents on each 1,000 pounds sold, exclusive of interest, depreciation, etc. Incidentally this illustrates the unreliability of official figures and predictions given out by Cleveland officials. Meanwhile, because this money was diverted from the water works fund, where it belonged, it has been necessary to sell bonds to provide money for a filtration plant."

## Useful Christmas Gifts

can always be found in a hardware store. Here are a few to be found at

### S. Hill & Son's Store

213 East Fourth St.

Tools of all kinds—Pocket Knives—Razors—Hones—Scissors—Razor Strops—Nickel Plated Coffee and Tea Pots—Percolators—Tea Kettles—Roasters—Waffle Irons—Asbestos Sad Irons—Food Choppers—Fireless Cookers—Tree Pruners—Cooking Utensils of all kinds—Flash Lights and a Thousand and One Other Articles.

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Home 151.

## A Sensible Gift for the Whole Family

is a Fire Insurance Policy on the house and furniture or an accident policy for the bread earner. Costs little and means much in case of misfortune.

SEE BEN E. TURNER, 113 West Fourth St.

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the fact that we make "Quality Photographs." We will not finish a picture from a poor negative and we have not raised prices. Make your holiday appointments now. Established 11 years in Santa Ana. MRS. L. M. DOTY, 112 North Main St.

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If so, let us figure with you on doing your job. We move Household Furniture Anywhere, Any Time, Any Distance.

Heavy Loads and Long Hauls our Specialty—Motor Trucks or Wagons.

## Santa Ana Commercial Co.

Transfer Dept. 1105 East Fourth St.  
Phones: Sunset 66; Home 366.



## ANAHEIM PLANS A NEW CITY HALL

Proposal Is Made for Sale of  
Land as a Site for Park  
in Mother Colony

Anaheim Herald: Last night the annual election of officers of the Board of Trade for the ensuing year took place. The new officers are: President, F. C. Krause, Vice President, A. A. Mills, Secretary, Earl Dutton; treasurer, J. Cassou; directors, M. E. Beebe, H. V. Weisel, G. L. Dietrich, W. Stark and Prof. E. W. Hauck. W. Stark, city trustee, addressed the board in regard to the new city hall which it is proposed to build in the near future. He informed the members that it was the intention of the board of trustees to tear down the present building and build an up-to-date model structure, costing from \$25,000 to \$50,000, according to the wishes of the people. For this purpose a mass meeting is called for Monday evening at the auditorium of the high school to consider the advisability of such work.

The offer of H. Deutsch to sell a plot of ground on Lemon, Chartres and Clementine streets 184x330 feet, at a price of \$15,000, and donate \$5000, was boosted by F. C. Krause and J. W. Duckworth. They thought the present time the best for the buying of a park for this city.

A communication from the Univer-

## GO NO FURTHER

The Evidence is at Your Door

Santa Ana proof is what you want and the statement of this highly respected resident will banish all doubt: E. C. Burdick, 918 E. Fifth street, Santa Ana, says: "My back was in such bad shape that I could hardly get up or down. At times when I moved, sharp pains darted through me. I was in pretty bad shape. The doctor tested the kidney secretions and told me that all my suffering was caused by poor kidney action. I used Doan's Kidney Pills steadily for about a year and I have taken them off and on ever since. When I started to use them I had to go around on crutches, not daring even to take either the floor for fear of falling. Now I can get around with ease and my back is in good shape."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Burdick had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement.

The week beginning  
Dec. 7 and ending Sat-  
urday, Dec. 12, will be

## M. J. B. Coffee Week

Special prices for the  
week:

1 lb. can . . . . . 35c  
3 lb. can . . . . . \$1.00  
5 lb. can . . . . . \$1.50

## Union Grocery

A. C. Newell. Arch Burkett.  
Fourth and Spurgeon Sts.  
Both Phones.

## Christmas Furniture .....

\$25.00 all leather  
Rockers . . . . . \$19.00  
\$22.00 all leather  
Rockers . . . . . \$17.00  
\$16.00 leather seat and  
back Rockers . . \$12.50  
\$14.00 leather seat and  
back Rockers . . \$10.00  
\$12.00 auto seat  
Rockers . . . . . \$9.00  
\$10.00 auto seat  
Rockers . . . . . \$7.00  
\$6.00 fumed oak . . . .  
Rockers . . . . . \$4.25  
\$4.00 fumed or golden  
oak Rockers . . . \$3.00  
\$26.00 9x12 Axminster  
Rugs . . . . . \$20.00  
\$17.00 9x12 Axminster  
Rugs . . . . . \$13.50  
\$18.00 9x12 Brussels  
Rugs . . . . . \$14.00  
All Dressers Reduced.

A. H. Williams  
307-309 W. Fourth St.

sity of California at Berkeley offered to give an illustrated lecture in this city by a number of experts on the question of sanitation and public health of the city for the week of January 4-9. A lecture would be given each evening and each lecture would be illustrated and many pictures would be on display to show what has been done and can be done for public health and sanitation. Dr. Truxaw and Prof. E. W. Hauck spoke favorably of the proposition of this city having the lectures here and paying the necessary \$150 out of the city treasury. The lectures were endorsed and it will be up to the city council whether or not they are given here. Dr. Truxaw, Prof. Hauck, J. W. Duckworth and A. A. Mills were appointed as a committee to wait upon the city council and ask them to vote the necessary funds to have the lectures here.

There will be an election on Friday to elect trustees for the Anaheim River Protection District. Three trustees are to be elected. The board endorsed E. N. Cook, F. H. Wesler and Chas. Evagabroad for the positions. Some other men who have been active in the formation of the district were mentioned, but it was learned they had stated positively that it would be impossible for them to act in that capacity. It is desired that the voters having property in the district be out on Friday to vote for the three trustees. The place of voting is the city hall in this city.

Prof. Ben S. Milliken of the High School was present and reported that it was now time to plant the poppy seed that Anaheim was going to use to beautify the waste spots in this city. The board took action and is ordering \$28 worth of the seed at once that Prof. Milliken and a bunch of the boys can do the planting on Saturday. It is planned to sow a quantity of the seed on Los Angeles and Center streets, where the main line of travel is expected.

A. A. Mills enquired regarding the Anaheim cannery and to know what was being done to establish a cannery in this city. It was learned that nothing of any importance was being done at the present time on the subject.

D. Jessurun, manager of the Anaheim Sugar Factory was elected a member of the Board of Trade last night.

J. F. Ahlborn, advertising committee, displayed two fine large photos of the High School and a birds-eye view of this city. It is planned to have some good big photos of this city on display at San Francisco, San Diego and other places visited by the tourists during 1915.

Prof. Hauck reported that on a recent visit by the state inspector the local high school buildings had been the subject of praise and the inspector had stated that the Anaheim school buildings were the best he had seen and that he would bring others here to see them. This was greeted with applause by the members of the meeting.

A. A. Mills read a report of the work of the Belgian relief committee which showed that Anaheim had contributed a little less than \$100 for the relief of the Belgians, which happened on account of action being deferred so long that enough time had not been allowed the committee.

The annual banquet is planned for about January 15, and the regular entertainment committee was allowed to plan for the big feast next month.

## AMERICAN GIRL WILL WED PRINCE

Elizabeth Rogers to Become  
Niece-in-Law of Kaiser;  
Prince Gives Up Titles

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Reid Rogers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard R. Rogers, to Prince Christian of Germany, nephew of the Kaiser, was confirmed here last night, by intimate friends of Miss Rogers, who received the news directly from the bride-elect in letters within the last few weeks.

This international romance, according to her friends here, means the renunciation by Prince Christian of his royal titles. He will take the simple title of Count when he marries Miss Rogers, and it is to be in no sense a morganatic marriage. Miss Rogers' friends were emphatic in making this point plain. It is understood that the consent of the Kaiser has been received under these conditions.

## BIG EATERS GET KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take Salts at First Sign of  
Bladder Irritation or  
Backache

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble, because we eat too much and all our food is rich. Our blood is filled with uric acid which the kidneys strive to filter out, they weaken from overwork, become sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys; to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water beverage, and belongs in every home because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time.—Advertisement.

## WILL FEATURE TREE PLANTING AT THE SCHOOL

County Forester to Bring Over  
Twenty Trees for Setting  
Out in Yard Here

GARDEN GROVE, Dec. 17.—If tomorrow is a clear day, tree planting exercises will be held at the Garden Grove school. County Forester J. M. Grant will be present, and will bring twenty trees with him from the county nursery. These trees will be planted on the grounds of the school. Grant will address the students.

The Parent-Teacher's Association had a social gathering and program at the school house Monday, December 14.

The program was as follows: Instrumental solo, Ruth Violet; address by Mr. Brown, County Y. M. C. A. secretary, on "Boys' Activities;" instrumental duet by Miss Reeks and Miss Adland; address by Mrs. Hill of Santa Ana on "Advantages to the Community and School of Parent-Teachers' Work;" instrumental selection, Vern Harrison; address by Mrs. Goodale of Los Angeles on "Her Experience of Twelve Years in the Parent-Teachers' Work;" instrumental selection by Harris Cloyes; address by Rev. Wm. Thomas; instrumental solo, Ruth Mills; Prof. Fitz, "Co-operation of Parents with Teachers;" instrumental solo, Mary Lee.

A half hour of social intercourse was given during which time luscious red apples were served. Toward the close of the meeting an opportunity was given to become members of the association, and several joined.

Saturday the Parent-Teacher's Association gave a cafeteria dinner and a cooked food sale in the Sweetser Implement building. It was an experiment, but proved to be very successful. Everything was sold by 2 o'clock and a nice sum realized for the emergency fund of the association.

Ed Flemming of Smeltzer died at 11 p. m. at the hospital Monday night after a short illness of meningitis.

**Personal Items**

Thelma Emerson is suffering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Harvey Allen, who has been sick for several weeks, is improving.

Miss Celestia Churchill, niece of Mrs. Groves; Miss Mary Jones, Miss Esther Septer and Miss Ada Septer, students of the Bible Institute of Los Angeles, spent part of Sunday in Garden Grove and took part in the Young People's meeting at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Junkin and daughter Evelyn motored to Los Angeles Tuesday.

J. M. Woodruff has been laid up for several days with a severe attack of grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Castleman of Simi, Calif., spent Sunday with the home folks.

Mrs. W. H. Newcomer has just returned from a week's visit with her son at Hemet, also with friends at San Jacinto.

Mr. and Mrs. Jason Hidden of Kansas City are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Serena Hidden. They expect to spend the winter in California.

Mrs. K. Gerkin of Los Angeles spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Spain.

Mr. Brown, secretary of the County Y. M. C. A., was in Garden Grove Tuesday night for the purpose of organizing a Bible study group at the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dozier, Mrs. Morrill and daughter Laura spent Monday in Los Angeles.

Mr. Sherwood spent two or three days this week in Pasadena with his cousin.

Mrs. M. B. Oman was called to Los Angeles Tuesday to see her daughter, Mrs. Hibbard, who is seriously ill at the hospital.

## POMONA TO BUY AUTO FIRE SERVICE TRUCK

POMONA, Dec. 17.—Mayor W. A. Vandergrift has been instructed to enter into contract for the purchase of a new automobile fire service truck to replace the present antiquated horse-drawn hook and ladder truck. The action of the council is significant in that it means that Pomona will be abreast of any city in the country in the matter of fire-fighting apparatus, for it will have a complete automobile service of three trucks, including the new \$9000 automobile fire engine.

## U. S. COMMISSIONER H. T. CHRISTIAN PASSES AWAY

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 17.—H. T. Christian, United States commissioner at San Diego, died suddenly in this city yesterday of heart attack. He has been in government service in this state for two decades. He served as chief deputy U. S. marshal in this city for thirteen years under Marshals Nick A. Covarrillas, H. Z. Osborne and Leo V. Youngworth.

Mr. Christian was appointed United States commissioner at San Diego September 1, 1905. Until recently he also was president of the San Diego Title Guarantee & Abstract Company.

## FRANCE BUYS CARGOES OF WHEAT AT NEW YORK

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—The French government is reported to have purchased two cargoes of wheat at New York yesterday, equal to about 500,000 bushels.

Local exporters sold 200,000 bushels of wheat to go abroad and the total business in all positions was around 1,000,000 bushels. It developed that an amount equal to this was sold for export yesterday.

Sale of Dolls  
75c values at 50c

Rankin Dry Goods Co.  
107 WEST FOURTH ST. - 410 NORTH MAIN

Phoenix Guaranteed Hose  
75c and \$1.00.

## Xmas Sale of Tailored Suits

### A Sale Price Put on Every Suit

—As a special inducement to buy something good for Christmas, all Tailored Suits have been placed on sale at an average saving of \$10.00—enough to buy a hat to go with it.

—There are many handsome Fall Suits still in stock, "Wooltex" included, which at these reduced prices are excellent values.

—No reservations are made. You may have your choice of any suit in stock, as per the following prices:

\$22.50 Suits at \$14.50

\$25.00 Suits at \$17.50

\$27.50 Suits at \$17.50

\$30.00 Suits at \$22.50

\$32.50 Suits at \$22.50

\$37.50 Suits at \$22.50

—We have a few odd suits left of last Spring and Fall lines, which we place on sale. These are good, serviceable suits, and if one is not particular as to the cut, there are some \$7.50

"bargains" here at the price of . . . \$7.50

Gloves Perrin's  
Alexandre

—In spite of the shortage in gloves and the rise in price on account of the war WE ARE READY FOR THE CHRISTMAS BUYERS WITH A COMPLETE STOCK AND AT THE SAME OLD PRICES.

—"PERRIN'S" GLOVES, in the neat over stitch, 2-clasp dress glove, all colors and black and white at . . . . . \$1.50

—"PERRIN'S" PIQUE GLOVE, of extra quality kid, black and white only, the very best glove made, at . . . . . \$2.50

—"ALEXANDRE" the famous French glove featured by Marshall Field & Co., shown in black and white and all colors, at . . . . . \$2.00

—"FIELD'S STANFORD" an extra quality pique glove, in black, white, cream, tan and brown, at . . . . . \$2.00

## SHIP-PURCHASE BILL WILL GO TO SENATE

By Strict Party Vote Alexander  
Measure is Favorably  
Reported for Action

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The administration's ship-purchase bill was reported favorably to the Senate yesterday from the committee on commerce. The Commerce Committee on Tuesday voted down a motion by Senator William Alden Smith to hold public hearings on the bill, and under the spur of the administration it was reported yesterday by a strict party vote, with one exception. All the Democrats on the committee except Senator Vanderman voted for the bill and all Republicans voted against reporting it.

Senator Vanderman said after the meeting that he had not opposed the bill because it was a government ownership measure. He said he objected to the government going into the business where private enterprise could not operate profitably.

The bill reported yesterday is the Alexander bill of the house, especially demanded in the President's annual message.

DR. C. H. BROOKS HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO ROOMS 209-9-10, SPURGEON BUILDING.

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## Are You Short of Funds This Xmas?

Then be sure to join our

## Xmas Savings Club

and have plenty next year.

One of our several plans is to start with two cents, and to increase a few cents each week. At the end of fifty-two weeks, you get \$25.50. Let us personally explain other plans to you.

Our 1915 Club Starts Monday, Dec. 21, 1914

Orange County Savings and Trust Co.

## STORM-TOSSED ON WAVES ALL NIGHT

Party of Six Drift Ashore in  
Launch This Morning After  
Hours of Peril

HERMOSA BEACH, Dec. 17.—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blake, with their son and daughter and two other girls, who were reported lost in a launch drifting in the gale blowing off Redondo Beach, drifted ashore here this morning. The members of the party were in a serious condition from exposure, but all will recover. The party started out on an all-day fishing excursion yesterday morning with a guide. On the return trip at 4 o'clock, the boat went "dead," and the guide went to shore in a skiff for assistance. The launch drifted out at sea before gale return, and tossed in the wild gale and rain all night. Searching parties failed to discover the helpless boat.

Santa Ana Painless Dentists, 102 1/2 East Fourth St. Main 253.

## Every Woman Will Be Delighted

With a beautiful Hair Ornament for Christmas.  
Exclusive designs in gray, black and demi-amber.

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## EQUITY IN AUTO TAX

Complaints vouched for by some of the auto clubs and others interested in the automobile business in California against the new horsepower rating for next year's tax seem strangely futile and aside from any reasonable point. The new method of computing the horsepower removes the only serious injustice done by the law under its former method of administration. The law requires the tax to be paid on the horsepower of the machine, but last year the state motor vehicle bureau accepted the rating of the automobile manufacturers themselves for computing the horsepower, and thereby did an injustice to those whose horsepower was incorrectly computed. The same rule actually defeated the purpose of the law, since it collected fees from machines on the basis of other horsepower than that which they actually developed. The most striking injustice was the charge of \$10 for a Ford automobile, and only \$5 for a 4-cylinder Studebaker. Actually the Studebaker is, of course, the heavier the more expensive and the more powerful car. But by the automobile association's own standards its computed horsepower was less than that of the Ford, and came just under the \$10 limit. Under the new computation, which will come as near as is practicable to figure the actual horsepower, the Ford machine will still pay its \$10, but the Studebaker machine will also pay at least its \$10.

It is probable that the correct method of computation will somewhat increase the revenues of the motor vehicle department, but this is only an incidental effect, and the extra amount will be collected almost entirely from persons who can very well afford to pay it, and ought to be glad to do so. The exceptional instance of a Studebaker car being raised from the \$5 to \$10 class is, of course, merely an assessment on this medium priced car of what ought to have been its tax in the first place. The principal change will be in the case of more high powered modern cars, many of which on account of their long stroke engine were computed last year to belong to the \$15 class when by their actual horsepower they belonged easily in the \$20 or \$25 class. There need be no complaint on the part of the owners of these high powered cars. In the first place, they can all afford to pay the extra \$5 or \$10 or else they cannot afford to own and run such cars. And in the second place, if the cheaper cars are to pay \$10 a year, it is entirely ridiculous to let off high powered six cylinder cars with \$15 a year. So long as the tax is based on horsepower, that horsepower should be correctly computed.

There is, of course, with a gasoline engine no absolutely exact method of computing horsepower. But the method adopted by the state for the coming year is the most nearly exact possible, and it is absolutely exact enough for the purposes of the law. Let the man who owns a high powered car no longer imagine that because he happened to pay only \$15 last year he has a vested right in the continuance of that favoritism. He has no such right and it did he ought not to wish to exercise it. He probably gets more back out of his automobile tax than anybody. High powered cars do more touring than the smaller and medium priced cars. They are harder on tires, and the lighter cars and the difference in their tire mileage on good and bad roads is greater. The fee will go to the up-keep of the state highways, and probably every owner of a high grade automobile will save much more than \$20, \$25, or \$30 tax in tire wear by virtue of the roads for whose up-keep his tax will be expended. —Fresno Republican.

## BAD AS POISON

The Bakersfield Californian calls attention to the necessity of laws regulating the sale of weapons at least as stringent as those by which the sale of poisons is regulated.

After all, why not? Purchasers of poisons may have a perfectly legitimate use for them—to kill vermin, for antiseptic, mechanical or chemical purposes, for use in legitimate small doses as medicine. Nevertheless, the sale of some poisons is forbidden entirely, except on a physician's prescription, and the sale of all poisons is very carefully supervised and regulated. The purchaser of a pocket weapon, on the other hand can have no purpose except the possible shooting of a human being. Revolvers and automatic pistols are never used to shoot game or to butcher animals for meat. They are used to shoot men, and they are of no use for any other purpose. Therefore, their sale should

be safeguarded at least as carefully as the sale of poisons, and their possession should be restricted absolutely to those having a public license and a known public purpose for carrying them. We shall probably be civilized enough some day to abolish the revolver entirely, even in the hands of peace officers. This was done in Germany long ago, and the German police are the most efficient in the world. We have not yet reached that point, and it would be merely academic to propose it. But we can at least go far enough to confine the use of pistols to peace officers and others who can show to the proper authorities a legitimate public purpose in carrying them.—Fresno Republic.

Wingood's Drug Store may have it.

## GERMANY NOT TO STARVE

Roland G. Usher  
(Atlantic Monthly)

The department of agriculture has been so successful that there can be little doubt that the productivity of land in Germany is proportionately greater than in any other country in the world, and so far-reaching have been its operations that the imperial government claims that more than ninety per cent of the land in Germany is productive.

The definiteness with which the Germans have catalogued the land, located the areas on which grain can be grown and computed the maximum product from those varied areas, equals the exactitude with which they have tabulated the army. We should, indeed, be guilty of stupidity if we supposed that the men directing the destinies of Germany had omitted from their elaborate calculations provision for so elemental a necessity as an entirely adequate supply of food.

They knew on the first day of August precisely how much food they had on hand, and precisely where the new supplies were coming from. Not improbably they could have furnished a list of the men and women who would sow and reap the future harvests.

Many ideas at Wingood's.

## PLANTS THAT THINK

St. Louis Republic

There is an organism so low in the scale of being that scientists are in doubt as to whether it is an animal or a plant, which is yet able to detect and indicate the rise and fall of the tides with unerring certainty, and begins to seek shelter from an approaching wave before it reaches the sand. It is the convoluta, which lives in patches on the fringe of the sea.

If some of them be placed in a cup of water, they lie like a scum upon the surface until tide overruns the patch from which they were taken, when they sink at once to the bottom of the cup. The moment the tide recedes they rise again to the surface of the water. The source through which this knowledge comes to them is one of the mysteries with which science is now confronted.

The moment a wave approaches them they sink into the sand, apparently for shelter from its power. And the inexplicable feature in the case is that they do not wait until the wave is upon them. They seem to be warned of its approach when it breaks in the surf. At any rate, they are out of harm's way when the water rolls over their abiding place.

Drop into Wingood's for Xmas ideas.

## Real Estate Transfers

(Furnished by the Orange County Title Company.)

December 16, 1914—Deaths

George Encinas to William E. Stradley—Lot 21, block B, Townsite of Placentia; \$550.

M. Kelly to C. A. Stice—Lot 20, block 518, Seventeenth street section of Huntington Beach; \$10.

G. A. H. Sprague et ux to A. Holmes—West 7.55 acres of lot 3 of Stern and Nicolas subdivision; \$10.

Frank E. Couper et al to E. Walter Payne—Land near Yorba; \$1.

E. Walter Payne to R. B. Bream—16 acres of land near Yorba; \$10.

C. J. Porter to Edna H. Porter—Lots 19 and 21, block 713, Wesley Park section, Huntington Beach.

John Don et ux to A. W. Rounsevel, trustee—Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, block 26, Arch Beach Heights; \$10.

Elizabeth J. Reeves to Margaret A. Cowsett—Lot 5, block 1209, Vista Del Mar tract, section 6; \$10.

Queen McCurdy to Mary E. Clerc—Lots 16 and 17, block 9, re-subdivision of section 1, Balboa Island; \$10.

Abbie B. Bush to Frankie Youngs—Lot on West Chapman street, Orange; \$1.

Frank H. Church et ux to Floyd B. Keather—13 acres near Anaheim; \$10.

R. Y. Williams et al to Oscar Rosenbaum—35.55 acres in section 36-7-8; \$10.

Thomas Shannon et ux to George W. Kelly—South 60 feet of lots 1 and 2, block B of Ross addition to Santa Ana; \$10.

Frank P. Sawyer et al to Richard J. Dillon—Right of way to lay pipeline over part of section 31-3110; \$10.

Bastanchury Ranch Company to Richard J. Dillon—Right of way for pipeline over part of section 30-3-10; \$10.

Julia L. Orr et conj to A. D. Tyler et ux—Lot 200x180 feet in section 33-3-10; \$10.

Andrews Summers et ux to L. M. Ballard et ux—6 acres on West Hickel street, Santa Ana; \$10.

Mrs. Florence Flagler Smith et al to Theo. Ford et al—3 acres in section 26-4-10; \$10.

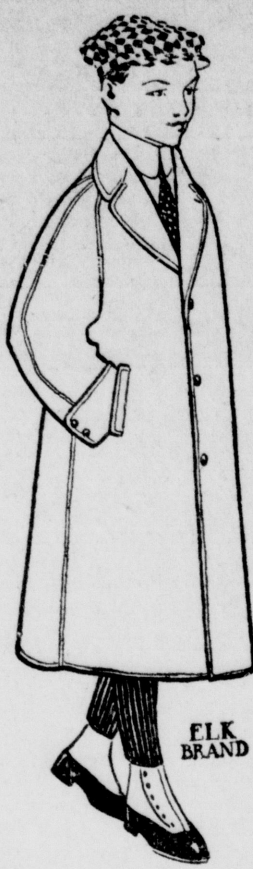
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Many ideas at Wingood's.

The Summer Shop is showing a window full of small framed pictures. All are special values; nothing over 50c. 117 West Fourth street.

Wingood's Drug Store for Gifts.



# Make the Boy Happy

with a gift from this "Boys" store

W.A. Huff

## Cultural Directions for Planting Wild Flowers

By J. M. Grant, County Forester of Orange County.

Get the ground in good shape by plowing or spading to a depth of at least nine inches. After the ground has been plowed the surface should be worked down with a harrow or rake until it is pulverized. Scatter the seed broadcast and rake it in lightly. The best results will be obtained by doing this early in the season. Good results will not be obtained if the seed is sown later than the middle of February.

Now is the time to get busy. After sowing the seed there is practically nothing more to do, provided the seed is sown before the rainy season is over. If the seed is sown early in October, many species will commence flowering by the first of February and some will continue to flower as late as August and September. All school grounds should be beautiful with flowers. There are many waste corners that can be utilized and made beautiful as well as a source of interest and education for the children.

The Thistle Sage (Salvia Carduacea) is an attractive plant, grows one to two feet high, with thistle-like woolly foliage and large, airy, fantastic heads of blossoms of pale lavender, in dry, sandy places.

Baby Blue Eyes is another beautiful plant. Words are inadequate to describe the ethereal beauty of this little flower; the plants are of low, spreading growth, and blossom in an incredibly short time, after sowing the seed, covering the ground with a perfect carpet of clear azure blue flowers. It is one of the earliest of the wild flowers to bloom.

For a long time the universities have been teaching how to cure the sick. Now the University of California is going to train students expressly for a new profession—that of keeping everybody well.

The doctors in the medical faculty have long preached to their students "Preventive Medicine." And the doctors have joined enthusiastically with university's engineers, chemists, bacteriologists, etc., in establishing this new "Curriculum in Preventive Medicine," for the training of experts whose whole purpose is to prevent anyone from ever being sick enough to need a doctor.

"Graduate in Public Health" will be

the degree, and the six-year course will be as long and arduous as that pursued by most physicians.

To give the world a new kind of health officer is the university's object. It used to be that a health officer was a busy physician who in the intervals of seeing his own patients ran in to take up a warning of scarlet fever or to investigate a complaint as to somebody's back yard. But now communities have begun to think that protecting everybody's health is enough work to deserve a full-time salary.

There is a great and rapidly growing demand for highly trained sanitarians and bacteriologists for the service of the city, the state, the school, the

army, the nation.

Here are some of the things the University of California will teach to the students who choose the new public health curriculum (just established as the result of the work of a committee including Professors Eugene Volkmann, Hilgard, long dean of the College of Agriculture, A. O. Leuschner, G. M. Stratton, and, from the medical faculty, Dean H. C. Moffit and Drs. Wallace I. Terry, W. P. Lucas and Wilbur A. Sawyer):

Two years of physics, chemistry, zoology and modern languages. Then four years of special professional training, in which the students will learn for instance:

How a town may get clean water, but how, even if there is no source available except a sewer-polluted stream a community may yet make such water perfectly safe and good for drinking by filtering it through sand and treating it with bleaching powder to get rid of germs.

How a town may make a sewage farm safe and profitable. How scientific detective work can find unsuspected carriers of typhoid or diphtheria and put an end to their spreading of infection. (There were 181 reported cases of typhoid in California in September, every one of them unnecessary, now that anti-typhoid vaccination has been perfected.)

How flies, fleas, mosquitoes and other spread diseases, may be got rid of by suppressing their breeding places.

How tuberculosis in a California may be lessened by requiring all milk or butter to be pasteurized—unless from certified herds.

How colds, coughs and various serious diseases may be checked in their spread by using individual paper cups instead of glasses at the punch bowl at parties, by abolishing such foci of health as the common drinking cup and the roller towel.

How a town may get healthy meat, clean milk, foods which are what they pretend to be and fly-protected food supplies.

What people ought to eat. That sewer gas is disagreeable but not dangerous—but how good plumbing should be planned.

How schools, churches and public buildings may be heated and ventilated so that the air will not be dryer than the desert of Sahara, as many ventilating systems make it.

How to fight occupational and social diseases, including poverty and vice.

How the threatening increase of insanity may be contended with, for much of it is preventable.

How sanitary and social surveys are made.

How effective social service work is done.

How public health systems should be administered.

Why it is that half a dozen California towns now have a death rate more than twice as high as that, for instance, of Berkeley, which is 8.6 per thousand per annum, and how the wickedly needless waste of life of an excessively high death rate can be stopped if the world will only apply a little more of what science has already found out. For in these days a town has it in its own power to say whether its death rate shall be high or low.

Many suggestions at Wingood's.

Fresh fish, oysters and lobsters daily. Smoked, dried and canned fish. Santa Ana Fish Market, opposite P. O.

Many suggestions at Wingood's.

The best candy made and packed in any size or quality of box. Prices, 25 cents to \$10. Taylor's, 216 West Fourth street.

Try Wingood's for Xmas Gifts.

## Hopeful Outlook for America

(From Los Angeles Financial News.)

### UNITED STATES PROSPEROUS

"Let the worst be said and admitted that can be said respecting existing business difficulties in America, our condition still remains not only relatively bright, but rapidly improving, and in many respects both prosperous and promising."

On many sides mills are busy and factories running full time or overtime. The number of unemployed is steadily getting less. The coming winter throws no such dark shadows before as was feared a few weeks ago, and the statement is beginning to be heard here and there that goods cannot be delivered as promptly as they are wanted because the factories are too busy. The world abroad, both that part of it which is in arms and that which is at peace, is turning toward America for a large portion of its supplies, and the phrase "Buy it in America" has come to have a potency that has hitherto been lacking.—Wm. C. Redfield, Secretary of Commerce.

There is a break in the storm clouds which swept over the United States when the great war which now engulfs Europe was inaugurated. Prosperity for America is not only coming but it is here now. The outlook for American industry is unusually optimistic. General conditions throughout the country are set forth in a letter from Secretary of Commerce Redfield to the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, and made public this week in which he says:

"A manufacturer whose plant was in Liege or Lille would find no strong ground for cheer in the condition of either of these industrial centers. In either of these cities financial, economic, possibly even physical destruction would threaten his business. One cannot but sympathize with the misfortunes that have befallen industries in all the belligerent countries and be, the more, so much more grateful that no like fate threatens our own."

"Let the worst be said and admitted that can be said respecting existing business difficulties in America, our condition still remains not only relatively bright, but rapidly improving, and in many respects both prosperous and promising. There is always room in a country as large as ours, with such various conditions as exist in its different portions, for the pessimist to find some hook on which he can hang his mournful prophecies. One need not retract to the other extreme and exclaim that the special prosperity of one is an indication of equally good conditions everywhere."

"The truth lies between, but no observer of the large movements in our commerce today fails to recognize the great improvement that has been made in business conditions within the last few weeks and which is still progressing. The payment of our foreign obligations is no longer cause for serious worry since an import excess of \$20,000,000 in August has been changed to an export excess of approximately \$60,000,000 in October.

"This favorable process continues and there is

every indication that it is likely to continue long. The deficit in our bank reserves in New York, which was as low as \$43,000,000 in August, rose early this month to a surplus of nearly \$90,000,000. The course of exchange has become more normal. Clearinghouse certificates are being retired. Large sums of emergency notes have been withdrawn, and with the opening of the Federal reserve system great additional supplies of loanable funds have become available. There is no longer serious concern over our financial future.

"One can look back now to the first weeks of August, when there was a wheat embargo which some feared might mean sad loss to many of our farmers. Those same farmers are prosperous today, for wheat exports have been unprecedented in amount and at profitable prices.

"Cotton has begun to move, and existing arrangements surmise relief from the shadow which has so long hung over our fellow-citizens in the South. If both money and crops are in far better condition than they were months ago, and if both are in some respects in excellent condition, the same is true of our industries. They are not all fully occupied as facts in the iron and steel trade show, and there remains still a surplus of idle cars. One does not hear as much of the number of cars in use as is said of those which are idle, and one wonders whether the proportion of idle cars to the total, if it were stated, would not give a different impression.

"However, he who wants may read plain facts which show on every side not only a marked hopeful feeling in industry, but tangible facts on which such feeling rests. All problems are not worked out yet to perfect solution. That could hardly be with most of the business and industrial part of the world engaged in destroying life and property on a colossal scale.

"Nevertheless on many sides mills are busy and factories running full time or overtime, the number of unemployed is steadily getting less. The coming winter throws no such dark shadow before as was feared a few weeks ago, and the statement is beginning to be heard here and there that goods cannot be delivered as promptly as they are wanted because the factories are too busy. The world abroad, both that part of it which is in arms and that which is at peace, is turning toward America for a large portion of its supplies, and the phrase "Buy it in America" has come to have a potency that has hitherto been lacking. The improvement in conditions, however, is not wholly due to the war. Great and growing as our exports are, they form but a small portion of all of the total business that is going on and which is constantly increasing. A knowledge that products can be sold; the certainty that money can be had to finance business and enterprise, these and facts like these have brought fresh confidence into our domestic markets at the same time that foreign buyers have entered them.

"We should be grateful, in sense, both calm and confident, not only that we are far better off than our suffering brethren beyond the sea, but that we are better placed ourselves at home than we were a few weeks since. We may be glad that the present is good; thankful that it is growing better, and hopeful for the coming months."

## Grand Opera House Wm. McCulloch Manager

One merry night, THURSDAY, DEC. 17, America's Premiere Comedienne, MAY ROBSON, in her latest laughing success, "MARTHA BY THE DAY." A comedy by Julia M. Lippmann, adapted from the popular "Martha" books. A cast of excellence, a beautiful production, and May Robson at her best. Prices 50c to \$1.50. Seat sale at Rowley Drug Store.

## GRAND OPERA HOUSE WM. McCULLOCH LESSEE AND MGR.

Saturday and Sunday, December 19 and 20 "On Belgium Battlefields"

The only authentic motion pictures of the war ever produced. Four reels of warfare. 50 per cent of the net proceeds goes to the Belgian Red Cross.

## Clune's Santa Ana Theatre

Spurgeon St., bet. Third and Fourth Sts. Phone Sunset 1022.

Thursday—Dec. 17 and 18—Friday

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Hilarious Comedy.  
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This theatre is heated every day for the comfort of our patrons.

## TEMPLE THEATRE--- Thursday, Friday, Saturday

Mary Pickford in "Behind the Scenes"

Her latest and greatest production—In five reels Photographs of Mary Pickford given away at every performance Four Christmas presents given away every night This theatre thoroughly heated for the comfort of our patrons

## MUNICIPAL ART GALLERY FOR THE QUAKER CITY

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 17.—A small army of workmen were engaged today in making excavations for the new \$5,000,000 municipal art gallery to be erected at Twenty-fourth and Spring Garden streets.

Big Special Sale now on Coats and Suits and Dresses—a big saving. You can save \$5 to \$15 by coming to Gilbert's. Immense assortment to choose from. Come and see for yourself. Take the elevator to our second floor, at Gilbert's, today.

Drop into Wingood's for Xmas ideas.

## Too Late to Classify

WANTED—Few milk customers. Pint \$1.15 per month; quart \$2.25. At ranch, 1345 C street.

FOR RENT—New modern 6 room house; all conveniences. Apply 1078 West 6th street. Home Phone 446.

LOST—Small, red pocket memorandum book, one Mossy water heater, with pipe, one 600 egg Success incubator, one copying press 10x12 inches, at Van's Second Hand Store, 821 East Fourth.

FOR SALE—Poinsettias. Phone 610-J. 906 North Main St. \$1.00 per doz.

FOR SALE—Turkeys, corn fattened hens and gobblers, will deliver alive or dressed. Mrs. H. L. Wakeham. Phone 5583-J-1.

FOR SALE—Canary birds, good singers, for Xmas gifts. Phone 789-J. 1019 West First.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 acres Merced county, all best of level alfalfa and fruit land. Want Orange county. Call 314 East Fourth St. Phone 1194.

FOR EXCHANGE—Established merchandising business, for residence. H. Box 63, Register.

WANTED—To buy a piano. Must be in good condition and cheap. Will pay cash. G. Box 46, Register.

FOR SALE—6 room modern house and 75 ft. front lot, good location, plenty fruit. No agents. R. J. Elliott, 724 Minster St.

FOR SALE—New six room house with all modern conveniences. Small payment down and easy monthly payments. Call or address C. H. Wilson, 112 West Chestnut Ave.

FOR SALE—Almost new Hart Schaffner & Marx cravatette overcoat, size 40, for \$8. Apply Rossmore Barber Shop.

FOR SALE—Gun wood, thoroughly dry. Split from big trees. \$5.00 on the ground or will deliver. Phone Sunset 446-J-3.

WE HAVE several renters for bungalows. List your house with us before Jan. 1st. Grove & Wilson, 211 Spurgeon Bldg.

LOST—A pet New Zealand buck rabbit. If found please notify 1417 North Main. Phone 1915-J.

FOR SALE—Three cheap Benice disc flow, good as new. Cheap. Phone 523-W, Santa Ana.

FOR SALE—An A-1 second hand bicycle. Good tires. Cheap. Phone Pacific 1153, Orange.

FOR SALE—Keystone sewing machine. 824 East Third St.

FOR RENT—Furnished, one nice four room modern cottage. 109 West Camelia. Phone 349-MK.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 acres, ideal home, income producing fruit, stock farm, Columbia river, Southern Washington. Mild climate, prosperous community. Want ranch west of river north of 17th street. Harris Bros., 504 North Main St.

FOR SALE—Fine new 3 room bungalow, north part of town. Price \$2000. Terms, \$100 down and \$15 per month. This is the biggest snail in town. Maury & McDuffie, 315 North Main.

## The People's Meat Market

310 East Fourth St. Sunset 1350. Home 103.

Prices on Fresh Meats, Salt and Smoked Meats, Fruits, Vegetables, Butter and Eggs.

Eastern Bacon, lb. .... 24c

Bacon Strips, lb. .... 19c

Whole Ham, lb. .... 18c

Picnic Ham, lb. .... 15c

Dry Salt Pork, lb. .... 16c

Boiled Ham sliced, lb. 38c

Boneless Pot Roast, lb. 15c

Shoulder Roast, 12 1/2c, 15c

Brisket Boil, lb. .... 9c

Plate Beef ..... 10c

Short Ribs of Beef .. 12 1/2c

Chuck Steaks, lb. .... 15c



# Doings In Social and Club Circles

FOR MRS. PEASE

Delightful Kensington Given by Mrs. Reeves for Matron of Hermosa Chapter

Mrs. H. H. Reeves, whose parties, whether large or small, are always most delightful affairs, was hostess yesterday afternoon with a Kensington which was no exception to her previous events in the way of appointments and entertainment. Pale pink carnations with ferns were used in decorations of the pleasant parlors. Conversation waxed briskly over the dainty needle work. The affair was complimentary to Mrs. Arthur Pease, recently installed as Worthy Matron of Hermosa Chapter, O. E. S. During the afternoon Miss Berdenia Henry charmed the guests with two interesting readings.

When the guests were invited into the dining room for refreshments Mrs. Pease was given the seat of honor at the head of the table, where she found at her plate a lovely bouquet of pale pink carnations and ferns tied with pink tulle. The pretty courtesy was pleasantly acknowledged. The color motif of pink which prevailed in the house and table appointments was carried through the various courses of the collation.

The list of guests included Mrs. Arthur Pease, Mrs. Verne Whitson, Mrs. F. C. Rowland, Mrs. C. F. Crose, Mrs. Asa Vandermast, Mrs. Henry Diers, Mrs. Max Reinhaus, Mrs. W. L. Grubb, Mrs. I. D. Mills, Mrs. J. W. Wasser, Mrs. J. W. McCormack, Mrs. Halstead, Mrs. Robert White, Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. O. M. Robbins, Mrs. Abe Robertas, Mrs. George Balderston, Misses Pauline and Teresa Reinhaus, Miss Berdenia Henry.

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McMillan-Wilcox

Last night a quiet, yet charming wedding was solemnized at the home of Rev. E. J. Inwood on Spurgeon street, when Miss Pearl Wilcox became the bride of R. C. McMillan. The bride, who was handsomely gowned in cream-colored tulle and silk, joined the groom in the parlor of the Inwood home where the impressive ring ceremony took place at 5:30 o'clock.

Later the bride and groom departed for the city amid a shower of rice.

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Walters-Lindsay

Miss Libby Lindsay and Ed Walters were married at San Bernardino last Monday.

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Entertained Club

Mrs. Roscoe Whitted Tuesday afternoon entertained the bridge whist club to which she belongs. In view of the near approach of Christmas, Mrs. Whitted went beyond the rules of the club and indulged in decorations appropriate to the season. A



## Care of TEETH

School authorities join hands with doctors and dentists in the crusade for better care of the teeth on the part of children.

No mother who has the interest of her child at heart will be negligent in this important matter.

We have everything here that the child needs to keep the teeth clean and healthy.

TOOTH BRUSHES  
TOOTH POWDERS  
DENTAL CREAM

Antiseptic mouth wash, and the cost of any of these is very small.

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Fourth and Main. Phone 40.

## Ware Weariness!

Also

**Beware of Spoiling Christmas by Putting Off Your Shopping to the Last Day or Hour.**

Don't be numbered among the folks who make Christmas unnecessarily hard for themselves and others by putting off their shopping. It pays, in comfort and convenience and consideration for others, to

## Shop Early

dainty Christmas tree, gaily trimmed, centered a table where delicious refreshments were served.

Members of the club present besides the hostess were Mesdames Robert Shaffer, E. S. Morrow, G. S. Briggs, W. F. Lutz, Mrs. A. W. Rutan, Mrs. O. K. Forgy, Mrs. Russell Scott, Mrs. Cal Lester, Mrs. C. S. Kendall, Mrs. H. T. Duckett and Mrs. Bartholomew were guests of the club.

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Program of Christmas Music

A musical program will be given at Spurgeon Memorial church on next Sunday evening, and special Christmas music has been arranged for the morning, as follows:

Anthem, "The Birthday of a King" (Neidinger); solo, "Child of Bethlehem" (Sauter); Miss Oneta Buckley. The program for Sunday evening follows:

Anthem, "Alleluia! O, How the Angels Sing" (Neidinger); duet on cornet and piano, "The Holy City" (Adams); Miss Lela Sebastian and Julian Matthews; quartet, "There Were Shepherds" (Vincent); reading, "The Other Wise Man"; Ernest Crozier Phillips; Christmas cantata, "The Nativity" (Adam Geibel); soloists, Miss Oneta Buckley, Frank Walton, James Nuckolls; organist, Miss Hester Covington; director, James Nuckolls.

The "Other Wise Man," given by Mr. Phillips, is a very popular and appropriate number for this occasion. He has rendered it several times in Los Angeles and Santa Ana and his artistic and attractive interpretation has been appreciated very highly.

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Enthusiastic Meeting

The Women's Missionary Society of the First Congregational church had an enthusiastic meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. William Douglass on North Main street. Holly and greenery adorned the house, significant of Christmas.

Interesting reports from the foreign fields at Swas, Bronsa and Mursovan were heard. Mrs. L. K. Stronk reviewed two chapters of "The Child in the Midst."

Mrs. Perry Frederick Schrock, wife of the new pastor, was present and was cordially welcomed. Delicious refreshments were served, a Christmas cake being the crowning feature.

Motorcycle Races—at Santa Ana Race Track, New Year's Day.

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## PRETTY EVENING WEDDING

Miss Lela Thomas Becomes Bride of Clyde Deardorff; Couple Well Known

An interesting wedding took place last evening at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Thomas, 621 Spurgeon street, where Miss Lela Thomas became the bride of Clyde Deardorff. The house was charmingly adorned with bouquets of poinsettias, and a profusion of maidenhair fern and smilax. The marriage lines were read by Dr. J. A. Stevenson, the single ring ceremony being used. Miss Anna Walker attended the bride, who was charming in a chic tailored suit of midnight blue made in military effect with trimmings of black. The best man was Clyde Flowers. Only the immediate relatives and close friends of the principals were present at the pretty wedding.

Immediately following the ceremony, the bridal party and most of the guests motored to the lovely new bungalow at Tustin awaiting Mr. and Mrs. Deardorff. The house, completely furnished and with fire already laid in the grate of the fireplace, presented an inviting appearance. When the open fire sent out its cheery glow, and the lights cheerily illuminated the cosy rooms and their beautiful furnishings, the guests were taken on a tour of inspection of the new home. A happy half hour was enjoyed by the visitors who repeated good wishes and congratulations before good nights were said. Many lovely gifts were displayed in the pretty rooms, tokens of the popularity of the two young people just wedded.

The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas, has lived here all of her life and has hosts of friends. She was the recipient of many prenuptial courtesies, repeated showers being given for her. The bridegroom, the son of Mrs. James H. Deardorff of the San Joaquin ranch, also well known from long-time residence in this community. He is in the grocery business at Tustin.

The sincerest of good wishes for a happy future will be extended to Mr. and Mrs. Deardorff by their friends.

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Mission Society Meets

The Missionary Society of the First Baptist church met yesterday in the church parlors. Mrs. Catland, the president, opened the meeting and read Psalm in recited in concert in place of the devotionals. Comforters were tied for the Christmas giving of Sunday, December 20.

After the business meeting the program in the hands of Mesdames C. W. Brakeman and J. E. Goven was given. Subject was "Chapel, Cars and Book." Mrs. Goven read a very interesting and instructive paper. Mrs. Brakeman read letters from the evangelists in charge of the cars and book on this coast and also showed pictures of the same.

Although the day was rainy, a goodly number attended the meeting and all was warmth and sunshine within the pleasant session.

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D. O. B. Class Meets Tonight

There will be a meeting of the D. O. B. class of the First M. E. church at the home of Helen Stanley, 418 West Second street, this evening, at 7:30 o'clock, and all members are requested to be present.

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Economics Section to Meet

The Saturday Evening Household Economics will meet at the home of Mrs. Fred Wilkes, 1327 Bush street at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mahan and Miss Georgia of Third and Garfield streets, who have exchanged their property for Hemet property, leave tomorrow for their new home.

Oliver Halsell traveled to Los Angeles today via the Pacific Electric.

Rev. George Greer was among those traveling to Los Angeles this morning over the Pacific Electric line.

Walter Prince transacted business in Los Angeles today, boarding an early car for the city.

Charles Kelly boarded an early forenoon car for Los Angeles today.

E. J. Cranston spent today in Los Angeles.

Dr. Mebel Vance Termaine was a Los Angeles visitor today.

Walter Vandermast made a business trip to the Angel City this forenoon.

John Iman of Anaheim, who is to be under sheriff under Sheriff-elect Jackson, was in Santa Ana today and rented the house at 756 Orange avenue. He will move here about December 28.

Mrs. Jorgensen of Orange was a visitor in Santa Ana today.

Mrs. H. D. Hinkley is spending the winter with friends in this city. She is here from Michigan.

Mrs. E. B. Gulley of Sierra Madre is visiting with friends in this city.

Mrs. Conrad Crookshank of Capitano was a visitor here yesterday, doing Christmas shopping.

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## THERMOMETER GOES TO BARE 26 AT POMONA

Orange News: Reports of very cold weather in the vicinity of Pomona, Ontario and other points in that district, were brought home yesterday by a party of local fruit men who motored through the upper citrus belt. Dr. C. K. Jones, D. C. Drake, A. N. Saxton, J. A. Maag, directors of the Santiago Orange Growers' Association, with Secretary G. N. Atwood, made up the party.

They found the thermometer at 26 degrees above zero at Pomona. At Ontario the mercury was at 28 degrees. This was during the day. Last night the temperature must have reached a dangerously low mark in those districts. Orange had the coldest night of the winter, the temperature sinking to 36 degrees above zero.

## AMUSEMENTS

With the jolliest sort of an entertainment May Robson will be a visitor to the Grand Opera House Thursday, December 17. She is to appear in the dramatization of Julie M. Lippmann's delightful story, "Martina By-Day," which has lost none of its infectious humor and charming character touches in the making over. Miss Robson, whose eccentric comedy roles have secured scores of conspicuous successes for her, has one of the best opportunities for funmaking that has come to her at any time of her stage career.

## At Clune's

"The Pines of Lory," in two parts. —The coastwise steamer "Maid of the North" was about to leave for Montreal when Mr. Townsend, recognizing Patrick Boyd among the passengers, presented him to Elinor Marshall. They were both bound for Patrick's home, where Elinor was to pay a short visit to her school girl friend before proceeding to Montreal to become a nun. Her reception of Patrick was cool as she remembered the cloud under which he left home several years earlier. Patrick, it seemed, had refused to enter the church in accordance with his father's plan, and in the resulting quarrel Mr. Boyd succumbed to a sudden stroke of heart failure. As the result of his older brother's accusations, Patrick left his home, an outcast, and was now returning after a severe attack of fever in Africa.

In due time they were landed from the steamer, but owing to the dense fog the young couple found themselves in an entirely strange place. Nothing was left but to hunt for some habitation. That very night, the "Maid of the North" went down with all on board. Their search was soon rewarded but the house turned out to be one of mystery. It was fully provisioned and furnished, but, with the exception of a dog, no sign of life could be found. The mystery was added to when they entered the dining room and noticed the portrait of a beautiful woman affixed to the back of one of the chairs. Further search in the garden brought them to a grave while beside it was another one, freshly dug, and finally they came upon an old gentleman sitting in the garden, but on addressing him they found, to their horror, that he was dead.

Completely mystified they buried the mysterious owner in the freshly dug grave, and set about finding some escape from their predicament. In the midst of this effort Patrick's fever returned, and the whole burden was thrown upon Elinor, and little by little she became cognizant of a new sympathy for her fellow exile, which ripened during his convalescence into mutual love.

A rude chart, found in a desk, spurred them on to greater effort, but in building a raft Elinor fell into the water and though Patrick quickly sprang after her and brought her to shore, his strength was unequal to the tide, and he was quickly carried out to sea.

In the meantime, the daughter of the mysterious owner (who was, in reality, a banished French nobleman) waited anxiously in France for news of her father. Finally she decided to visit the island, and her arrival there came just at the very moment to save Elinor from madness through her loneliness. Elinor's story was soon told and the Princess cleared the mystery by telling of her parents' banishment. They were about to leave the island when Patrick, who had been rescued by fishermen, appeared on the scene, and all repaired to the Boyd home, where happiness over Patrick's and Elinor's escape from disaster quickly brought about a reconciliation.

## Temple Theatre

For tonight, tomorrow and Saturday the Temple Theatre is offering to patrons Mary Pickford in her latest and greatest achievement, "Behind the Scenes," a comedy drama of theatrical life, in five reels. There is no question but what little Mary has never been seen in any production that surpasses "Behind the Scenes." This play was written by Margaret Mayo, author of "Baby Mine" and the current theatrical success, "Twin Beds." Photographs of Mary Pickford will be given away at each performance.

Four Christmas presents given away free every night.

This theatre is thoroughly heated for the comfort of our patrons.

Quarterly Conference

Rev. R. P. Howell, presiding elder of the Los Angeles District, will preach at the Spurgeon Memorial M. E. Church South tonight at 7 o'clock, and hold the first quarterly conference for this conference year. All the members are urged to attend.

Four World's Champions will take part in the Motorcycle Races at Santa Ana, January 1.

See my display of hand-painted china at White Cross Drug Store. I will be there afterwards until Christmas. Mrs. Edward Lee.

—Enroll for the winter term in Orange County Business College.

MASONIC NOTICE

Santa Ana Lodge No. 241, F. & A. M., will confer the second degree on Friday evening at 7:30. Visitors welcome.

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## GIRL'S ARM IS CUT AT DIAMOND SCHOOL

Annie Babylon, 11-year-old daughter of Michael Babylon, who lives on Edgington street, accidentally ran into an open knife in the hands of Daniel Ruiz at the Diamond school this morning, and sustained a severe gash on her arm. The cut was about ten inches in length. A physician was summoned and the wound sewed up. The little girl is resting easily, her physician states.

## BRIEF MEETING OF CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

The nominating committee to choose the board of directors at the annual election of officers of the Chamber of Commerce January 12 was chosen last night at a brief meeting of the chamber in the City Hall, Wilfred Collins and Nelson Stafford, who are promoting the Oldfield-McGuire motor-aeroplane exhibition here Christmas day, were voted \$25 to help pay for the Santa Ana Band, which will play at the race track during the afternoon. With the exception of E. E. Vincent, all the directors were present at last night's meeting.

—Miss A. M. Havens, Public Stenographer, Chamber of Commerce, City Hall. Copying and direct typewriting solicited.

## A CORRECTION OF AN ADVERTISING ERROR

The Warren Specialty Store advertisement in yesterday's paper contained a display line which read, "Candy at 15c and 20c a pound," but which should have been "15c and 25c a pound." In the rush of handling the large volume of Christmas advertising the error was overlooked and Mr. Warren was kept busy for a time today explaining the mistake. However, the quality of the candy at the higher price was too good a value to be overlooked and no sales were lost as a result of the error in the type.

Such errors as the above are of infrequent occurrence, though even the occasional one is a source of regret and is cheerfully corrected. The advertisement, with the correction made, appears in this issue.

Call at Wingood's for Xmas Gifts.

## START WORK ON EAST CHAPMAN BRIDGE SOON

ORANGE, Dec. 17.—Word was received here today from the attorney-general's office that the bid put in by the State Board of Control for the East Chapman street bridge bonds is acceptable. The bonds were voted last summer but there was no market for them at the time and the Board of Control put in its bid. Work on the bridge will probably be begun in the near future.

Gift problem solved at Wingood's.

## LEMUS IDENTIFIES MAN AS ASSAILANT

Yesterday Under Sheriff Daly took John Daly to Gypsum, where Daly was identified by Lemus as a man who forced his way into Lemus' house in search of food. Daly bears marks of being hit in the face by a hammer thrown by Lemus. He is charged with firing a shot at Lemus.

Reliable goods at Wingood's.

Copeland's Local Weather Report.

The following weather record was kept by Justin M. Copeland of 615 North Sycamore street, Santa Ana, and is for week ending December 16, 1914:

Date	Temperature.	Rain.
	Max.	Min.
Dec. 10	62	40
Dec. 11	58	40
Dec. 12	57	41
Dec. 13	58	37
Dec. 14	58	38
Dec. 15	59	36
Dec. 16	54	49
Dec. 17	50	50
Rain for week....	1.05	
Total rain for season, 7.17 inches.		

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Ray Creighton—"The Fastest Little Man on Two Wheels," with his 8-valve Indian, will make them all hustle at the Santa Ana track New Year's Day. Creighton holds the present world's mile record on a dirt track, his time being 4:15 seconds made on an Indian during the present year at St. Louis. Never before in the history of the motorcycle racing game has there been so much class represented at a meet at one time. Autos parked free. Don't forget the date and place, January 1, Santa Ana mile dirt track.

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## THOMAS P. PAGE DEAD SINCE FRIDAY

Thomas P. Page, for twelve years a resident of Santa Ana, died in a hospital at Kent, Wash., on last Friday. His remains have been interred at Kent, where his daughter, Mrs. Fay Jorgensen, lives.

Page was about 85 years old, and was well known in Santa Ana, and especially in the southwest part of the city. His home was on Flower street. For a time in recent months he lived at the home of E. A. Walker. He was ill for a time. He went to Kent, Wash., about a month ago. He was the father of Mrs. Lacy Harper of Orange, Norman Harper of Santa Ana and Dewey Harper, who is in the army in Manila.

## BUENA PARK MAN IS HURT IN COLLISION

Anaheim Gazette: W. C. Spencer of Buena Park was injured Saturday night in a collision between two stage automobiles on the Anaheim road. The accident also resulted in considerable damage to the machines. Spencer, who is an engineer in the employ of the State Highway Commission, was riding in one of P. E. Taylor's cars when it collided with Fred Watt's car, which was driven by Harvey Price of Santa Ana. The smash-up occurred between 10 and 11 p. m. and Spencer was the only one hurt. He was taken to the Anaheim Sanitarium and his injuries, consisting of numerous scratches and a few cuts on the hand, were attended to.

## WOMAN'S PART IN WAR

LONDON, Nov. 11 (by mail to N.Y.). —The bravery of a 16-year-old French girl who was found wounded while acting as a vivandiere for stricken British soldiers



# GREAT STEAMERS 200 PEOPLE FOR FOR PACIFIC 1 BATH TUB IN COAST WINDY CITY

Vessels Built in East; Fastest Ocean Express Steamships Ever Built in U. S.

Extremes of Wealth and Poverty Within Ten Minutes' Walk of Each Other

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Dec. 17.—P. H. Toland, local agent for the Great Northern Pacific Steamship Company, has received advices that the steamer Great Northern will leave Philadelphia on the first cruise January 27 and the Northern Pacific will sail February 17, unless the schedule should be changed for reasons not now apparent.

These twin-sister ships are now nearing completion at the famous Cramp shipyard and will, on arrival on this coast, be placed on the run between San Francisco and Portland via Astoria. The schedule will equal the time of the fastest trains, while the rates will be the same, the steamer fare including meals and berth. Connection will be made with all points on the Spokane, Portland and Seattle railway, Northern Pacific railway and the Great Northern railway.

The initial voyage will consume about sixteen days in transit, including a daylight trip through the Panama Canal, with stops at Colon, Balboa, San Diego and Los Angeles, completing the cruise at San Francisco. The approximate distance is 5205 miles.

The vessels are said to be the finest ocean-going express steamers ever built in the United States and flying the American flag. They are 524 feet long, have a beam of 63 feet and a depth of 60 feet. The power is furnished by triple propellers, driven by Parsons turbine engines, the fuel being oil. The maximum speed is said to be twenty-four knots per hour. The vessels have five decks and accommodations for 500 first-cabin passengers. The cost of each vessel has been approximately \$3,000,000.

## LOCAL DRUGGIST MAKES MANY FRIENDS

Rowley Drug Company reports it is making many friends through the QUICK benefit which Santa Ana people receive from the simple mixture of buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler's-ka. This remedy became famous by curing appendicitis and it is the most thorough bowel cleanser known, acting on BOTH the lower and upper bowel. JUST ONE DOSE of Adler's-ka relieves constipation and gas on the stomach almost IMMEDIATELY.—Advertisement.

DR. C. H. BROOKS HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO ROOMS 203-9-10, SPOURGEON BUILDING.

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—It's only a ten-minute walk from the palaces of the wealthiest of Chicago's multi-millionaires to a block of wretched hovels that house the very dregs of the Windy City's slum district.

Sight-seeing "rubberneck" autos run along Lake Shore drive, the "swellest" boulevard in the second city in America. On the east lie green parks and lawns and stretches of lake shore. On the west, the megaphone artist points out the palatial home of Mrs. Potter Palmer, wonder-spot for visitors, with its conservatory, and the homes of other of the city's "elite."


Chicago avenue and Oak, Milton and Cambridge streets enclose the "poverty-stricken plot." Most of its inhabitants are Italians and a short distance away is "Death Corner" where Black Handers and sawed-off shotguns have claimed nearly a score of victims in recent years.

Swarthy-skinned, heavy-mustached men congregate on the stoops or about the corner saloons; dirty, half-clad children crowd sidewalks and streets and pallid-faced women peer out through smoky windows. Investigators found that 357 families, numbering 1596 persons, 805 of whom are children, occupy 134 houses in this block, of which 107 are pronounced "rickety and dilapidated."

Children are being brought into the world and reared in thirty-six basement flats in this block, the investigators reported, some of them sleeping in closets without any sort of ventilation. One family of eight was found in three poorly lighted rooms, the entire family sleeping in one small, foul-smelling bedroom. "Only eight bedrooms were found in the whole block," reported the investigators, "a rate of 200 persons to each tub."

Walk straight east from the tenement district with its "one bathtub to 200 persons" and its street babies until you strike the lake shore and turn to the north for five blocks more. You'll encounter the most luxurious apartment buildings in Chicago—snowy marble hallways, gilded elevators. There's a marble bathtub to every bedroom and not a single baby playing in the street.

**BARGAIN GIFTS OF JEWELRY**  
—Solid gold signet rings, \$2 up; bracelets, \$1 up; solid gold tie pins, \$1 up; ladies' and men's gold filled watches, \$10 up; the clasps and cuff buttons, 75c up; bargains in la valieres. Many other bargains in jewelry. Mell Smith, 304 North Main street.



# HOLIDAY GIFTS

of Clothing and Haberdashery for Men and Boys

Christmas will soon be a reality, the more useful the present—the more it will be appreciated—the more he'll enjoy it. We haven't a present in the store that isn't of the most useful kind—things men wear. Everyone is rightly priced—no extra Christmas price attached, either. Early selections are always the most satisfactory. Buy early, we will deliver your purchase at any time desired.

Nothing More Acceptable Than A Suit or Overcoat—Stylish Suits at \$10 to \$25—Overcoats at \$12.50 to \$25

Gifts Less Expensive But None the Less Useful

**LEATHER GOODS AND NOVELTIES**  
Suit Cases, cowhide .....\$5.00 to \$13.00  
Traveling Bags .....\$5.00 to \$14.00  
Collar Bags .....\$1.00 to \$2.00  
Collar Bag, Tie Case and Handkerchief Case, per set .....\$3.50 to \$4.00

**Combination Sets**  
Tie and Hose Sets .....50c to \$1.00  
Tie, Hose and Handkerchief Sets, \$1.00  
All come packed in holiday boxes, put up expressly for gifts.

**Xmas Suspenders**  
In beautiful Christmas boxes from .....25c to \$1.50

**Ruff Necks and Sweaters**  
Ruff Necks .....\$4.00 to \$7.00  
Boys' Ruff Necks .....\$1.50 to \$3.00  
Sweaters .....\$2.00 to \$5.00  
Sweater Coats .....\$1.50 to \$5.00

## FINE GLOVES FOR GIFTS

Nothing better for a small gift than Gloves.  
Dress Gloves .....\$1.00 to \$2.00  
Auto Gauntlets .....\$1.50 to \$3.00



**FINE NECKWEAR**  
A man never gets too many Ties. When in doubt give Neckwear.  
Fine Silk Ties .....25c, 50c, \$1.00

**Shirts, Underwear and Pajamas**  
Dress Shirts .....\$1.00 to \$2.50  
Union Underwear .....\$1.00 to \$3.00  
Finest wool Union Underwear, per suit .....\$3.00  
Cooper Spring Needle Underwear, per suit .....\$2.00  
Fancy Ribbed Underwear .....\$1.00  
Pajamas .....\$1.25 to \$2.50



**Men's and Youths' Hats, Caps**  
Mallory Hats .....\$2.50 up  
Stetson Hats .....\$4.00 up  
Cloth Caps .....\$1.50 up  
Leather Caps .....\$1.50 up

**BATH ROBES**  
These elegant garments make handsome gifts. Every man wants one and it's easy to select the right one here. All prices from .....\$4.00 up

**Other Suggestions**  
Linen Handkerchiefs, Christmas box of four .....\$1.00  
Initial Silk Handkerchiefs, 25c to \$1.00  
Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, box of four .....\$1.00  
Initial Handkerchiefs, box of three .....50c  
Bradley Mufflers in Christmas box, .....25c to \$1.50  
Full leather Suit Cases .....\$5.00 up  
Full leather Traveling Bags, at .....\$5.00 up  
Leather Collar Bags .....\$1.00 to \$2.00  
Cravats in holiday boxes .....25c to \$1.50

**Hosiery in Boxes**  
Phoenix guaranteed Silk Hose in Xmas box, at per pair .....50c



**House Coats**  
You can't make a mistake if you give a man a Smoking Jacket. We have them at from \$5 to \$50

# HILL, CARDEN & CO., 112 West Fourth Street

## RAINS CRUMBLING OLD RIVERSIDE LANDMARK

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 17.—Recent rains are fast destroying the older walls of the old Rubidoux homestead on the West Riverside road. Unless the walls are protected from this winter's storms there will probably be little to protect by summer. There is hardly any plaster left on the adobe walls, the rains having loosened it. Also the

old fireplaces and the flues are beginning to crumble. A movement for the saving of this old landmark was launched last spring in Riverside by P. T. Evans, David Ormand, F. A. Miller and others, but nothing was accomplished, for lack of popular support of this project.  
Call at Wingood's for Xmas Gifts.  
—Store open evenings after December 13. Merigold Bros.

## SHIP-BUILDING PLANT WILL MOVE

Craig Enterprise to Be Taken to San Pedro; Submarine Contract Expected

LONG BEACH, Dec. 17.—That the Craig Shipbuilding Company would begin the removal of its plant from the local industrial district to Smith's Point, San Pedro, within the next three months, was the statement made here yesterday by John F. Craig, vice president and general manager of the plant.

Mr. Craig also expressed the opinion that his company would obtain the contract to build three of the eight submarines for which bids were opened in Washington yesterday. The proposed submarines the Craig plant hopes to build for the government will each weigh 300 tons and will cost \$397,000 apiece. At present the Craig company is constructing two government submarines at a cost of \$560,000 each. These craft will each weigh 500 tons.

—Learn Stenotypy evenings at Orange County Business College.

Dr. Pearl B. Magill, Osteopath, rooms 1 and 2, Rowley building, 956W.

SANTA ANA-LOS ANGELES	
Effective June 9th, 1914.	
Leave Santa Ana	Leave L. A.
6:25 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
6:45 a.m.	6:57 a.m.
7:25 a.m.	7:57 a.m.
8:25 a.m.	8:57 a.m.
9:25 a.m.	9:57 a.m.
10:25 a.m.	10:57 a.m.
11:25 a.m.	11:57 a.m.
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1:25 p.m.	1:57 p.m.
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3:25 p.m.	3:57 p.m.
4:25 p.m.	4:57 p.m.
5:25 p.m.	5:57 p.m.
6:45 p.m.	6:17 p.m.
7:10 p.m.	7:10 p.m.
8:00 p.m.	8:10 p.m.
10:15 p.m.	9:45 p.m.
11:30 p.m.	11:45 p.m.

SANTA ANA-ORANGE Effective Aug. 25, 1914.

Lv. S. P. Depot	Leave Santa Ana	Leave Orange
6:45 a.m.	6:10 a.m.	6:10 a.m.
7:15 a.m.	6:40 a.m.	7:40 a.m.
7:45 a.m.	7:10 a.m.	8:10 a.m.
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11:45 p.m.	11:10 p.m.	12:10 a.m.

SANTA ANA-VENTNURA BEACH	
Leave Santa Ana	
6:00 a.m.	7:20 a.m.
7:00 a.m.	8:20 a.m.
8:00 a.m.	9:20 a.m.
9:00 a.m.	10:20 a.m.
10:00 a.m.	11:20 a.m.
11:00 a.m.	12:20 p.m.
12:00 p.m.	1:20 p.m.
1:00 p.m.	2:20 p.m.
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4:00 p.m.	5:20 p.m.
5:00 p.m.	6:20 p.m.
6:00 p.m.	7:20 p.m.

# Christmas Prices at F. E. Miles

Cash Grocer.  
Three Stores—Santa Ana, Orange, and Anaheim.  
Largest Assortment of Candy to Choose From.

Sugar . . . 20 lbs. \$1  
Sugar . . 100 lbs. \$5

Golden Eggs Noodles,  
Golden Eggs Macaroni,  
Golden Eggs Spaghetti,  
3 pkgs. for 25c

Xmas Candy, 3 lbs. ....25c	Ripe Olives, gal. cans 50c
Fancy Xmas Mixed, lb. ....10c	Giffords Ripe Olives, large can .....15c
Best Xmas Mixed, lb. ....12c	Pink Beans, 5 lbs. ....25c
Almond Nuts, lb. ....17c	Lady Washington Beans, 5 lbs. 25c
Brazil Nuts, lb. ....17c	Fancy Jap Rice, 5 lbs. ....25c
Pecan Nuts, lb. ....20c	Fancy Head Rice, 4 lbs. ....25c
Filbert Nuts, lb. ....20c	Sweet Potatoes, 18 lbs. ....25c
Mixed Nuts, 2 lbs. ....35c	Fancy Northern Burbank Potatoes, cwt. ....\$1.35
Walnuts, 2 lbs. ....25c	Fancy Idaho Potatoes, cwt. ....\$1.30
Fancy Eastern Peanuts, 3 lbs. 25c	Fancy northern Onions, 15 lbs. 25c
Fancy Eastern Popcorn, 6 lbs. 25c	Sliced Pineapple, large can ....10c
Layer Raisins, 3 lbs. ....25c	25c bottle pure Salad Oil ....10c
Bulk Raisins, 4 lbs. ....25c	Pure Cider Vinegar, 2 bottles. 15c
Mince Meat, like mother makes, 2 lbs. ....25c	Large pail Compound Lard. ....\$1.00
Alpine Milk, 2 cans .....15c	Large pail Suetine .....\$1.25
Eagle Milk, can .....15c	Large pail Cottolene .....\$1.30
Pure Eastern Buckwheat, 6 lbs. 25c	Pure Lard in bulk, 2 lbs. ....25c
Wheat Grits, like Cream of Wheat, 6 lbs. ....25c	Bishop's Peanut Butter, 2 lbs. ....25c
Country Gentleman Corn, can. 12c	Table Salt, 3 sacks .....10c
Golden Plume Corn, 3 cans. ....25c	Crisco .....25c, 50c, 95c
Solid Pack Tomatoes, 3 cans. ....25c	20 lbs. Box Crackers .....\$1.00
Tomatoes Puree, 2 cans .....15c	Rolled Barley, sack .....\$1.15
Small Prunes, 5 lbs. ....25c	Whole corn, cwt. ....\$1.90

No store that gives credit or delivers can compete with these prices.

**Your Money in Demand at 6%**  
We have several applications for choice loans on the waiting list. Every new home in Santa Ana enhances the value of your property.  
HOME MUTUAL BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION. 419 N. Main St.

# JOHN McFADDEN Hardware and Plumbing

Let us install for you a Pittsburg Hot Water Heater. You will enjoy it. We have installed forty of these heaters in town.

112-114-116 East Fifth St.

# CAPTURED!

Salesman's Sample Line  
—OF—  
Ladies' Hand Bags  
at 50c on the Dollar.

We have them ON SALE THIS WEEK AT LESS than it cost to make them. If you are a judge of a REAL BARGAIN, now is your chance. And you could not please her any better than to give her one for Christmas. Come in and look anyway.

Just a word on  
**Candy! Candy! Candy!**  
**At 15c and 25c Per Pound**

## How Can We Do It?

We buy our candies from the LARGEST CANDY FACTORY IN THE WORLD and buy very large quantities, is why. It is the very same kind you pay from 25c to 75c a pound for. All we ask is try it and we know we will get part of your candy business if not all, and if you are not more than satisfied we will gladly refund your money.

## Just A Few Specials:

New Spring line of ladies' Shirt Waists at \$1.29 \$1.50 and \$2.00 values.	25c and 35c Plain and Fancy Ribbons, Saturday only 23c yard.	Ladies' 50c Auto Scarfs 25c	50c Dresser Scarfs and Table Covers at 25c	Xmas Stationery 35c Boxes 19c 25c Boxes 15c Saturday only.
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# Warren's Specialty Store

Parcels Checked Free. 415 North Main St. Free Rest Room.



# THE EUROPEAN CONFLICT

BY E. M. NEALLEY  
In Two Parts—Part II

The following is a synopsis of a paper read by E. M. Nealley before the Present Day Club at its December meeting. The subject was dealt with under the following heads: (1) "Introduction," including a general outline of the history of human wars, their frightful cost, with a description of some of the horrors of war. (2) "The Political Aspect of the Present War." (3) "The Philosophical Aspect, or the War as a Conflict of Ideas, Governmental, Ethical, and Religious." (4) "The Case of Belgium." (5) "Conclusion," with some attempt to forecast the probable course of events for the future. The outline which follows deals mainly with the political aspect:

In my examination of this question (the cause leading up to the war) I find the unbalanced competent students of the European situation practically a unit in denying Germany's contention on which she rests her whole case, viz., the local character of the Serbian incident. But here is where all the defenders of Germany's cause start in their argument. Germany will not admit for an instant that this fundamental principle is debatable. To do so, of course, would undermine her whole defense.

Germany complains that Russia began mobilizing pending diplomatic negotiations, and insists that this was practically equivalent to a declaration of war. As a matter of fact, all the powers began mobilizing about the same time in anticipation of hostilities. Naturally, no one wanted to be caught unprepared. Russia probably had very good reason to believe from Austria's previous record, especially her act of annexation in 1908, together with the character of her ultimatum, that she had fully made up her mind to attack Serbia, and that if a general war ensued Germany would do exactly what she did do, make a quick drive at France through Belgium, settle accounts with France, and then turn toward Russia before Russia could be ready. Besides, if we may judge by subsequent evidences of preparedness, Germany has to all intents and purpose been mobilizing for the past decade for just such a crisis in the affairs of Europe. Prof. Usher, in his remarkable book, "Pan-Germanism," published a year before the war, says: "For some years there at all familiar with current international affairs have known that it was the custom in the German navy to drink to the toast 'To the Day'—The Germans aim at nothing less than the domination of Europe and of the world by the Germanic race." The Review of Reviews, a magazine singularly free from bias and always cautious in its utterances, says editorially, in the October number:

Dreams of Empire  
"That these unbridled dreams of empire have possessed the minds of many, if not all of the military leaders of Germany, and that many historians, philosophers and men of science and culture have been apostles of this so-called Pan-Germanic cult, is undeniable." (Page 394.)

Prof. Usher, in the October number of the North American Review, says:  
"A great confederation is projected comprising Germany, Holland, Belgium, Denmark, Austria, the Balkans, Turkey, Asia Minor, a new world state bounded by the North Sea and the Persian Gulf, the Baltic and the Mediterranean. The Germans demand their 'Place in the Sun.' Inasmuch as they believe a failure to reach these eastern markets will end in their national death, they declare the methods by which they propose to obtain them to be purely defensive, and insist that the issue is forced on them."

When the emperor dies the disruption of the empire is a real danger. It was, therefore, of vital importance to weld together the empire before the emperor's death, if that were possible. It is a common occurrence in history that a successful war achieves national unity and coherence as nothing else can do. This was Bismarck's leading card in the play of European politics. It might be fatal for Austria to wait too long. Again, it was believed that Russia had not sufficiently recovered from the Japanese war to be formidable. Russia had protested in 1908 against the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, but was not strong enough at that time to do more than protest. But Russia was waxing strong again. Better not wait too long. Another propitious circumstance was the fact that England, apparently, was on the verge of civil war over the Ulster question and the suffragette agitation, and there were serious race problems in her colonies. Germany has firmly believed that the British colonies were only awaiting a favorable opportunity to break away from British rule. England, with so many domestic troubles on hand would be badly handicapped. France, it was thought, was inefficiently organized. Never a time so propitious to strike! By a quick, offensive drive through Belgium, just as Gen. Bernhardt had two years ago outlined the campaign in his book, Germany could enter Paris before the French were prepared. This accomplished, success was practically won.

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them by England and France. "The sword is being forced into our hands." We can not too often repeat that to the Germans and Austrians this is purely self-preservation; not indeed of the Germany and Austria that now are, but of the continuance of their present rate of growth, in population and wealth, education, culture and prosperity."

Pan-Germanism Shown  
Closing, the author says: "The lineaments of Pan-Germanism are stamped all over the present war."

It is evident from this, and from abundant corroborating authority, that in the Pan-German sense a defensive war means defense of the plan to dominate the world by means of aggressive warfare. This is an interesting and important distinction to keep in mind in understanding the present war.

Certain conditions appeared in the European situation in the year 1914 which made it an exceptionally propitious time to strike boldly in the interest of Pan-Germanism. An unlooked for change had come over the Balkan states since 1911. The idea of independence and national unity was stirring all the states. There was even the thought of a Balkan confederation. Serbia was especially active in this movement. The Young Turks' revolution was inspired by the desire to secure constitutional government and to throw off the overlordship of the powers. The success of any of these movements would destroy the march of Pan-Germanism in the East. The hegemony of Germany and Austria in the Balkans was absolutely essential to the carrying out of the plan. Any effort to gain this control was pure "defense." Germany had already a railway through Asia Minor to Bagdad nearing completion, built by her engineers and with her money. She has been busy militarizing Turkey, training her officers and modernizing her equipment. That Germany has not been doing this from any love of the Turk is a reasonable inference.

Germany's Idea

There seems to be a pretty general agreement among impartial students of the situation that Germany and Austria felt the clock had struck twelve for "taking their place in the sun." The assassination of the archduke would furnish an excellent pretext. The Austrian emperor is a very old man, and it is conceded that it is largely due to his personal popularity that the heterogeneous mixture of races in the empire are held together. When the emperor dies the disruption of the empire is a real danger. It was, therefore, of vital importance to weld together the empire before the emperor's death, if that were possible. It is a common occurrence in history that a successful war achieves national unity and coherence as nothing else can do. This was Bismarck's leading card in the play of European politics. It might be fatal for Austria to wait too long. Again, it was believed that Russia had not sufficiently recovered from the Japanese war to be formidable. Russia had protested in 1908 against the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, but was not strong enough at that time to do more than protest. But Russia was waxing strong again. Better not wait too long. Another propitious circumstance was the fact that England, apparently, was on the verge of civil war over the Ulster question and the suffragette agitation, and there were serious race problems in her colonies. Germany has firmly believed that the British colonies were only awaiting a favorable opportunity to break away from British rule. England, with so many domestic troubles on hand would be badly handicapped. France, it was thought, was inefficiently organized. Never a time so propitious to strike! By a quick, offensive drive through Belgium, just as Gen. Bernhardt had two years ago outlined the campaign in his book, Germany could enter Paris before the French were prepared. This accomplished, success was practically won.

Miscalculations Come

Unfortunately for Germany, there turned out to be some miscalculations. Belgium put up an unexpected fight, resulting in a serious loss of time in striking at France. The Ulsterites forgot all about the Irish Home Rule bill, and the suffragettes suspended hostilities and hunger strikes, and, most amazing of all to Germany, undoubtedly, the British colonies all the globe over instead of taking advantage of the opportunity to break away from British rule, began to mobilize native troops to help out the mother country. The efforts of the German agents in South Africa to incite a Boer rebellion apparently ended in complete failure.

In presenting the above outline of the underlying causes of the war, I believe I am correctly stating the conclusion reached by careful students of the situation, as expressed in the standard literature of the day, such, for instance, as the Review of Reviews, World's Work, North American, Outlook, Independent, New York Nation and others of this class.

Perhaps the most frequently reiterated claim of the pro-German literature is that the war is not a war of kings, but of the German people. Count Von Bernstorff, German ambassador to the United States, says: "It is one of the fundamental errors of the American newspapers that this is a war of kings. Most emphatically it is a war of the German people. If any proof is needed for this statement look at the attitude of the leaders of the German Social Democrats, who are loyally supporting the Emperor."

Mr. Mead Quoted

Prof. Munsterberg of Harvard takes the same position in his book, "The War and America," and quotes in support the words of a well-known American writer, Edwin D. Mead, as follows:  
"Apparently there is not a man of woman in Germany who does not believe Germany's case to be absolutely right and just; they think that the war is an imperative defense of the country against the surrounding circle of jeal-

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ous enemies. The circle of Social Democrats take this position, as well as others."

Prof. Munsterberg's quotation from Mr. Mead's article stops at this point. But would it not have been well for Prof. Munsterberg to have quoted the very next paragraph, which reads:

"I do not agree with them. But there can be no doubt of their sincerity. In my opinion, every nation, save heroic and suffering Belgium, is culpable. The GERMAN MILITARY CLASS PRIGHTFULLY CULPABLE." (The capitals are my own.) Mr. Mead has written other articles from time to time. He is a man whose knowledge of Germany and German life has been gained by several years of residence and travel in Germany. He was a student in German universities, and has a wide acquaintance with eminent German leaders. He is director of the World Peace Foundation. He ought, indeed, to be a good witness. Here is what he says in an article in the Congressionalist, October 1, 1914:

"Few Americans have any adequate conception of the part which the Slav menace has for years played in the German mind. I am bound to say that upon the strength of much inquiry, I personally believe that this 'Slav menace' is in high degree a bogey, kept alive by the ruling and military class for their own purposes. I am much fortified in coming, only slowly, to this conviction; for nothing else is so hopeless and paralyzing as the idea of fundamental and irreconcilable enmity between great masses of people on racial grounds. The 'Slav menace' is a gross extravagance; but all the same it does, at this hour, its baleful work."

What Russia Wants  
So much for Professor Munsterberg's star witness under cross-examination.

There seems to be no good reason for believing that Russia has any designs of territorial encroachment upon the present boundaries of Germany and Austria. Russia has more territory now than she can care for. The one thing Russia does want is an outlet to the Mediterranean, and for this purpose she must possess Constantinople, and at least a broad strip of territory along the west shore of the Black Sea for a connecting highway. With Constantinople and such a highway, Russia would probably be satisfied. And it is conceded that if the Allies win she will get it. It would suit her plans fairly well to have a strong Balkan confederation, provided she has Constantinople and the Dardanelles. Such a confederation would most effectively check Pan-Germanism, and this Russia must do if she is to realize her own plans. Here again, we see the real significance of the "Slav menace." Not a menace to present Germany and Austria, but a menace to the imperial ambitions of Germany. In this sense it is a real menace. In the sense in which it has been presented to the people of Germany, it is no doubt, as Mr. Mead affirms so positively, just a "bogey."

Thus again we see how this great war is just a play of kings upon the checker board of the Balkans—a play in which the good, honest, common folk have no part but to become food for cannon. Here and here alone is to be found the fundamental interpretation of this awful war.

Germany and Militarism

That Germany is above all things else a military state dominated by a military class headed by the Kaiser is abundantly capable of proof. The following words of the Kaiser from a speech before his army in 1911 are given on the authority of the New York Nation, of date October 29, 1914, page 522:

"Remember that the German people are the chosen of God. On me, as on me as the German emperor, the spirit of God has descended. I am his weapon, his sword and vice-governor. Woe unto the disobedient. Death to all cowards and unbelievers."

Thus we see that the archaic doctrine of the divine right of kings still dominates the German empire. In what essential particular does this utterance of the Kaiser differ from the famous declaration of Louis XIV of France 150 years ago? "In my person resides the sovereign authority. I hold the legislative power and share it with no one. The entire public life is sustained by me."

From this conception of the Kaiser it appears that the German race, like the ancient Hebrew nation, has been set apart as the chosen of the Lord. In what essential particular does this utterance of the Kaiser differ from the famous declaration of Louis XIV of France 150 years ago? "In my person resides the sovereign authority. I hold the legislative power and share it with no one. The entire public life is sustained by me."

The mightiest influence in German history in the last half century was Bismarck. Bismarck hated democracy. He believed in kings and he believed in wars of aggression. In his famous speech in 1863 he said:

"Not by speeches and majority votes are the great questions of the age decided, but by blood and iron." From this he became known as the Iron Chancellor. Von Moltke, the hero of the Franco-Prussian war of 1870, said:

"Eternal justice is a dream and not even a beautiful dream, and war is a component part of the fixed order of the universe, established by God himself."

Bernhardt's Views  
Thoroughly in harmony with this conception is General Bernhardt's

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words in his book:

"We must look at the business of war or of the sword with the eyes of men. It will be shown that it is a business, divine in itself, and as needful and necessary to the world as eating and drinking, or any other work."

Prince von Buelow, ex-chancellor of the empire, says in his recent volume, "Imperial Germany," (pages 337-338): "Bismarck, the Prussian, realized better than any one else that in Germany strong government could only be based and maintained on the monarchical principle. The German emperor must rule and guide. Germany could never have achieved unity as a state by following the paths of democracy. The German empire, situated as it is, is and must remain, a military state. And in history, strong military states have always required monarchical guidance."

The war in Europe is fundamentally a clash between two irreconcilable groups of ideas, two kinds of civilization, two forms of government, two philosophies of life. The opening chapter in this class was the French revolution of 1789. Perhaps the closing chapter is the present war. On the one hand is the notion of a privileged class divinely commissioned to rule over other men who are born to be ruled, along with all the traditions and paraphernalia logically clustering about this central notion. On the other hand is the group of ideas that centers about the conception of individual liberty, popular sovereignty and government as the expression of the common will.

Summed up in a sentence, it is: Empire vs. Democracy; King and Cannon vs. People and votes. The Two Great Questions  
There are just two questions before the civilized nations in this crisis of the centuries: And the first question is this, Dare we try the Christian ideal of life? It has never been tried. Shall it be the Sermon on the Mount or the cult of Odin, the war god? And the second is bound up in the first, Dare we trust the common people with the use of power? Over against both of these is the pagan ideal of life, entrenched behind centuries of traditional respectability, prestige and religion, so-called. The struggling millions on the battle lines of Europe are vicariously sacrificing their lives to answer these two great challenges, fighting, as millions of others have fought before, not knowing the larger meaning.

What is the war about, we are asking. That is what it is about, Victor Hugo, in a wonderfully inspiring vision of the future, foretells the coming of a day when "a cannon will be exhibited in public museums, just as an instrument of torture is now, and people will be astonished how such a thing could have been"; and a day when there will be a "United States of Europe" clasping hands with the United States of America "across the sea."

Will it come? I've got to believe it in order to save my own soul—save it from the benumbing influence of a philosophy of life which ends with the defeat of the divine in the human, and makes of the story of humanity just an idiot's tale.

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Warren K. Hillyard, for four years chief deputy in the office of County Surveyor J. L. McBride, and F. P. Jayne, a mining man of 301 East Washington avenue, are interested in a project that proposes to furnish round rock for use in ore crushing plants. The project is one that has opened as a result of the war in Europe.

Before the war started practically all of the round, hard rock used in ore grinding in this country was imported from Denmark, where it was picked up along the shores. The war has cut off the supply.

About forty miles from Tonopah and near Manhattan, Nev., is a lot of rock. It is unusually hard, and has the qualities that made the Denmark rock the best to be had. However, it is not water worn like the Denmark rock. The corners must be rounded off before it can be used.

Jayne, Hillyard and the man who owns the land upon which the rock is located are joined together in the proposition. Jayne is now on the ground, and Hillyard has resigned his position under McBride. He will leave for the Nevada district next week.

The men believe that they can furnish the mines with rock at a figure that will be advantageous, and before the war ends the plant will be in such shape that it can compete with

the Denmark rock. In brief, the manner in which the rock is used is as follows: The hard rock is placed in the same receptacle with ore. The receptacle is then shaken in such manner that the hard rock grinds up the soft ore.

### "WETS" WIN VICTORY IN INVALIDATION OF LAW

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 17.—The stringent Allison liquor law, prohibiting shipment of liquor into dry territory in Texas, yesterday was practically invalidated by a decision of the court of Criminal Appeals which Judge Prendergast said "wiped it off the statute books." Today's decision declared any person or agent might carry or ship liquor into dry territory provided it was not the intention to use the liquor for unlawful purposes or for resale in dry area. The Allison law forbade newspapers to carry liquor advertisements in dry territory.

### BAY CITIES CONSIDER UNEMPLOYED PROBLEM

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—A committee named by Mayor Rolph met today to devise means of handling the unemployed situation. The committee will act in concert with the authorities of Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda, Stockton and Sacramento. The "floating indigent" will be discouraged in all the bay cities.

### CLARENCE ROWLAND TO MANAGE WHITE SOX

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—It has been announced at the American League Club's office that Clarence Rowland, manager of the Peoria Club of the Three League, will manage the White Sox next season. The announcement came as a surprise on account of the recent statement that Eddie Collins was to manage the White Sox. It is rumored that Collins is to go to the New York Americans.

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When hilariously feasting in cottages at Arch Beach, six wanderers of the road and tracks had no idea they were right then convicting themselves of felony. They did not know that each time they grasped an object positive identification was left behind.

No two men have the same finger prints. Faced with evidence six men confessed that they were the men who burglarized cottages at the beach village. Four of the six men were this morning sentenced to San Quentin.

It was about a week ago that three young fellows were arrested at Corona Del Mar. They had a shotgun, opera glasses, field glasses and other articles in their possession, since identified as the property of Robert M. Simon of Santa Ana.

Two days later four others were arrested at Serra. They also had a quantity of stolen articles, including canned goods.

Deputy Sheriff F. M. Dean, who is in charge of the finger print system at the county jail, went to the cottages at Arch Beach that had been robbed. He found a lamp chimney showing plainly where soiled fingers had grasped it. Other marks were found on dishes. These articles were brought to the jail and the markings intensified by blowing a black powder upon them. Photographs were taken of the prints, and were compared with the finger prints that Dean had taken of the seven prisoners. It was found that the prints of six of them were on the lamp chimney and dishes. There was

absolutely no getting away from the evidence. The six men did not try to. They immediately confessed. Further, they said that the seventh man was not with them in the raid on the cottages.

Were on the Road This morning Judge West questioned each of the six confessed burglars. It seems that W. C. Collins, aged 29, and Earl Young, 25, were pals. They were at Serra when they were joined by Edward Mitchell, 20, and Richard Hunter, 20. Two men came along with big bundles of articles stolen at Arch Beach. They said "it was easy picking." Collins and Young disagreed. Young, Mitchell and Hunter went to Arch Beach, and later were followed by Collins and Lawrence Sheffield, 18, and Joe Alice, 19.

The first trio went on to Corona Del Mar with their plunder and the others returned to Serra.

Judge West sized Collins and Young as the hardened pair of the bunch. Young said he had been around Ventura for a good many years. He said he had been run out of every town he went to and decided to steal some stuff to get some money ahead. Collins was sentenced to five years in San Quentin. Young to three and a half.

Mitchell, a steeple-jack, and Hunter, a machinist, got two years each. Sheffield said that he had left home after a disagreement with his father, and had wandered from place to place, drifting into hobo camps. Judge West had sentenced him to a year in San Quentin when he came to the conclusion that the youth deserved further consideration. He said he felt sorry for Joe Alice, who had known no home and no parents. These two, the youngest of the text, were held over until 1:30 o'clock for disposition.

Sheffield had been sentenced to a year in San Quentin when Judge West concluded to set aside that judgment on account of the youth of the prisoner. For the same reason the judge decided not to send Joe Alice to prison. One of the boys has an uncle at San Diego, and if possible the boy will be turned over to him. One or both may be sent to the state school at Lodi.

Says Drink Did It Antonio Tapis, also a victim of the finger print system, is a smooth-looking Spaniard, born at Antioch. He robbed William Schumacher's store at Anaheim on the night of November 26, and then tried to pass a bad check. He was caught. Through his finger prints Dean learned that Tapis had served a term of three years for forgery in San Joaquin county.

He told Judge West today that drink was the cause of his downfall, that when he drinks he imagines that he owns the whole county. "Drink," said Judge West, "that is just a very little bit better than no excuse at all."

Tapis was sentenced to eleven years in San Quentin. He said he preferred San Quentin to Folsom, where he served his first term.

Neither Wins Judge Thomas called a draw in the action of H. B. Stewart against Dr. J. F. Doyle. The automobiles of the litigants collided at the corner of First and Main streets. Stewart sued for \$371.70 damages, and Dr. Doyle replied asking \$393.50 on his counterclaim. Judge Thomas decided that each was to blame. Stewart was driving faster than the law allows. Had he not been so doing there would have been no collision.

Dr. Doyle cut a corner. He had he not so done there would have been no collision. Each side pays its own costs. Stewart & Stewart of Los Angeles represent the plaintiff and Finley & Kolb of Santa Ana the defendant.

Boys Sentenced Judge Thomas passed sentence on the four boys who have been breaking into houses in the Orangecorpo district and recently entered and stole from the S. C. Hartman home. The boys, Ralph and Floyd Smith, Clyde Higginson and Sam White, all pleaded guilty to the charges and the last three were declared delinquents and placed under the care of Probation Officer Scott. Ralph Smith, the one who had entered the houses first each time, was given an indefinite term at Whittier but the judge suspended the sentence pending good behavior. He will also have to report to the probation officer regularly.

Eight dollars, secured at the Wilson home on Orangecorpo about the time the Anaheim carnival was on, were spent at the carnival and at moving picture shows. The watch belonging to Mrs. Hartman was found in another part of the dresser where the boys had placed it during their visit to the home.

Homestead Recorded A homestead has been recorded by Rebecca J. Beardmore upon lot 5, block C, Porter, Spurgeon & Rice addition to Santa Ana. Value, \$3500.

Attachment Case An attachment notice has been recorded in an action brought by John Brush against A. W. Gray and others for \$99.70. Lots in the Park tract, Santa Ana, are attached.

For Guardianship Susan E. Waechter has asked for letters of guardianship upon the estates of Orla M. and Fred H. Hobbs who have an interest in property in Hamilton county. Nab, left by their father, Harry & Garrett of Orange are attorneys for the petitioner.

Marriage Licenses Manuel Llevanos, 22, and Maria Ramirez, 18, both of Fullerton; Clyde M. Deardorf, 23, of Tustin, and Lela Thomas, 21, of Santa Ana.

FALL INSTANTLY KILLS EXPOSITION WORKER SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Barney Connor, an ironworker, fell from a scaffold on the exposition grounds today and was instantly killed.

DROWNED IN BATHTUB SAN DIEGO, Dec. 17.—A coroner's jury today returned a verdict of "death by accidental drowning in a bathtub," in the case of W. E. McPherson, a wealthy hotel proprietor who was found dead late yesterday at his ranch house near Escondido.

ADMIRAL FISKE TALKS WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—America's preparedness for war was discussed before the House Naval Affairs Committee today by Admiral Fiske. Chairman Padgett reiterated that he intends to conclude the hearings as early as possible.

When downtown stop at Taylor's for lunch any time of day. It is always good and it is CLEAN.

Low prices Wingood's Drug Store.

## SAFETY AT SEA CONVENTION RATIFIED

U. S. Senate Agrees to Resolution Reserving Right to Enact Higher Standards

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The international convention for safety of life at sea, signed at London, January 2, 1914, by many world powers, was ratified by the Senate yesterday for the United States, with the adoption of a resolution reserving the right to enact higher standards than the treaty prescribes for health and safety of American vessels and to impose them upon all foreign vessels within its territorial waters.

Champions of the pending seamen's bill insisted that without the resolution on reservations the treaty might nullify the bill and regulations regarding immigrants. For several days Senators Cummins and La Follette have fought against ratification without reservation.

Ratification was necessary by December 31, in accordance with the terms of the convention. President Wilson had urged the Senate to action before that time.

## INVESTIGATE USING OF JAIL CREW ON ROAD

Yesterday a committee of the grand jury in company with Sheriff-elect C. E. Jackson made a journey to Los Angeles for the purpose of investigating the system used there of working prisoners upon county roads. It was learned that eight gangs are out at the present time and that some good work has been done.

Out of eighty men taken from jail for work on the roads, thirty were men sentenced for non-support of their families. These men are paid \$1.50 a day, the money going to the families.

It is known that the Board of Supervisors of this county has in mind a plan to send a gang of prisoners to Trabuco canyon for work on the canyon road.

## ARRANGE FOR BIG BANQUET

P. G. Beisel and Walter Vandermast, the committee having the matter in charge, are completing arrangements for the first annual banquet and election of officers which the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association will hold at Elks' hall January 5. A banquet was held by this body several years ago but the forthcoming event will be the first since the reorganization of the association last January.

"We have not yet fully decided on our program for the evening," said Beisel today, "but we are going ahead with the work and will be ready in a short time to give out definite details. It is assured that a number of interesting talks will be given at the meeting by local members of our association and we will probably have a number of speakers from out of town."

The Santa Ana Merchants and Manufacturers' Association has now 124 members in all. Its officers are, E. S. Gilbert, president; E. B. Smith, vice president; J. C. Metzgar, secretary, and P. G. Beisel, treasurer. Who are also directors of the association, as well as A. N. Zerman, E. A. White, Fred Parsons and Walter Vandermast.

YOUR COLD IS DANGEROUS BREAK IT UP—NOW

A cold is readily catching. A run-down system is susceptible to germs. You owe it to yourself and to others of your household to fight the germs at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Eucalypti is fine for Colds and Coughs and soothes the Lungs. It's guaranteed. Only 25c at your Druggist.—Advertisement.

## Free

A 20c Purchase Check with every \$1 cash purchase

(Community Silver Excepted.) FROM NOW UNTIL DEC. 24 You can exchange these purchase checks for any goods in our store (Community Silver excepted) any time up to and including Jan. 1st, 1915.

H. O. Martin & Son The Tableware Store. 205 East Fourth St., Santa Ana.

## KIDS ATTENTION!

### American Model Builder Prize Contest

A \$5.00 American Model Builder will be given to the boy under 16 years who constructs the best model (not already shown in the instruction book) between now and Jan. 15th. Prize will be awarded Feb. 1st. All models entered in contest will be displayed in my window. All contestants must register before Dec. 20th.

**SAM STEIN'S** STATIONERY-STORE

New Spurgeon Building. 210 West Fourth St. Headquarters for American Model Builder and Ives Trains.

## Ideal Gifts For All

See our beautiful and unusual line of goods specially selected for gifts. Gifts from 25c to \$25.00.

Casseroles .....\$2.50 up	Chafing Dish Sets .....\$15.00 up
Crumb Sets .....\$1.00 up	Carving Sets .....\$2.00 to \$15.00
Percolators .....\$2.00 up	Keen Kutter Shears .....50c up
Fireless Cookers .....\$12.00 up	Pocket Knives .....25c to \$5.00
Aluminum Ware, all prices.	Safety Razors .....\$1.00 to \$5.00

Only 8 days left for Christmas shopping.

## Crescent Hardware Co.

208 East Fourth St.

## Electrical Xmas Gifts

Here are gift suggestions that are out of the ordinary and therefore all the more acceptable.

ELECTRIC CURLING IRONS	ELECTRIC IRONS
ELECTRIC READING LAMPS	ELECTRIC PERCOLATORS
ELECTRIC WASHERS	ELECTRIC STOVES
ELECTRIC CLEANERS	ELECTRIC RADIATORS
ELECTRIC TOASTERS	ELECTRIC CHAFING DISHES
ELECTRIC FLASH LIGHTS	ELECTRIC WATER HEATERS
ELECTRIC TOY MOTORS	ELECTRIC BROTILERS
ELECTRIC GRILLS	ELECTRIC TEA KETTLES
ELECTRIC LIGHT OUTFITS	ELECTRIC SHAVING MUGS
FOR CHRISTMAS TREES	

**Cope Electric Company**  
306 North Sycamore St. Postoffice Building.

All the Delicacies of the Season.

## For Your Xmas Dinner

Fruits—Nuts—Turkeys—Vegetables—Meats.

Order your Christmas Turkey now.

Christmas Trees 30c to \$1.50.

## Morrill's Market

Successors to James Market.

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111 East Fourth St. Santa Ana, Calif.

## It Will Help You

in making your Christmas selections if you will visit our store. We have a fine line of Toys. We carry the best line of Pocket Knives, Scissors, and Carving Sets in the city. See us for boys' Tool Sets, Express Wagons, Tricycles and Toy Barrows. We are headquarters for Wear-Ever Aluminum Ware, Casseroles and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Come and see.

## Santa Ana Hardware Co.

C. S. Kendail, Proprietor

## Hand-Colored Photographs and Mountings

MAKE YOUR SELECTIONS NOW A Fine Stock of the BEST on Hand

**SANTA ANA BOOK STORE**  
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## Special Christmas Outfit

prices on Violins, Ukuleles, Cornets, Mandolins, and all other small instruments.

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## Christmas Saving Sale

Ladies Tailored Suits \$10 to \$17.50

The former prices on these suits were \$20.00 to \$35.00, long or short coats. All new models purchased for this season's selling. Take elevator to the hand-somest suit department in the county.

## Special Sale Children's Coats

Every coat in stock sharply reduced for quick selling. All new styles bought this season. Sizes range from 4 years to 16 years. Come in plushes, Astrakhan, velours, mixtures.

Prices this week \$2.50 - \$3.50 - \$4.50

## Every Doll in Stock on Sale Today at Half Price

Cut This Ad Out and Bring It With You

## Beautiful Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs

You never saw such a pretty line of handkerchiefs. Dainty embroidery. Convent edgings. Come in neat Xmas boxes. Some with colored initial, the very latest fad.

SPECIAL TODAY! Box of Three 50c—All Linen—Box of Three 75c

## Our Infants' Department

This is one of our busiest departments. So many pretty novelties for the little ones. Those booties, mittens, sweaters, leggings, and other knit goods are especially good for Xmas gifts. Come while the assortments are complete, 25c to \$3.00 each.

## FURS!!—XMAS—FURS!!

Every fur set now on sale at a very special saving. The assortment is still very good. A visit to our fur department will save you from \$5.00 to \$10.00 on every set on sale. Take elevator to our second floor.

### SILK HOSIERY

50c, 75c, to \$1.50 pair. The kind that pleases.

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110 W. FOURTH ST. SANTA ANA, CALIF.



SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17, 1914.

## WORLD GAS BIKE RECORDS MAY BE BROKEN

International Champs to Battle  
for Honors Here New  
Year's Day

PRESENT LOCAL TRACK  
MARK IS SURE TO GO

Johns, Creviston, Gowdy,  
Graves and Many Others  
Are to Race

That the present record for the Santa Ana race track will be shattered seems a certainty when Ray Creviston, Carl Gowdy, Monty Graves, Freddie Lindlow, Peyton Burke, A. Walters and other internationally famous motorcycle riders meet at the local track New Year's day. There is more than a possibility that world's motorcycle records will be broken when these dare-devil gas bike riders get together in the race for the \$200 prizes which have been put up by Walter Rogers, of Orange, and Harry Rossiter, of this city, promoters of the meet.

The record on the local track is 50 2-5 seconds and was made in 1912 by Monty Graves. He and Don Johns will ride a match race, Johns on his Cyclone and Graves on his speedy 8-valve Indian. Both of these riders are known throughout the country as among the nerviest men in the professional motorcycle racing game.

Don Johns' Cyclone is entered for five of the events New Year's day. His machine has made one mile on a three-lap track in 3:40 seconds. In a 5-mile race, in competition the Cyclone made the distance in 3 minutes, 47 seconds flat, on a dirt track.

Carl Gowdy, who holds the national 25-miles championship, will bring his famous Excelsior to Santa Ana to ride in four big events.

Ray Creviston, who is known in gas bike racing circles as "the fastest little man on wheels," will make them all hustle on New Year's day. He will bring his 8-valve Indian here for the meet. Creviston holds the present world's record on a dirt track, his time being 43 1-5 seconds, made on an Indian during the present year at St. Louis.

No such array of speed talent has ever been seen together at one time for any meet anywhere. At least that is what the motorcycle men themselves say.

The forthcoming event is already

# NO

I did not belong to the Xmas Savings Club of the Orange County Savings & Trust Co. this year, so I wish that

# XMAS

were not here. But I am going to have them explain it to me, and join the club which starts

# NEXT

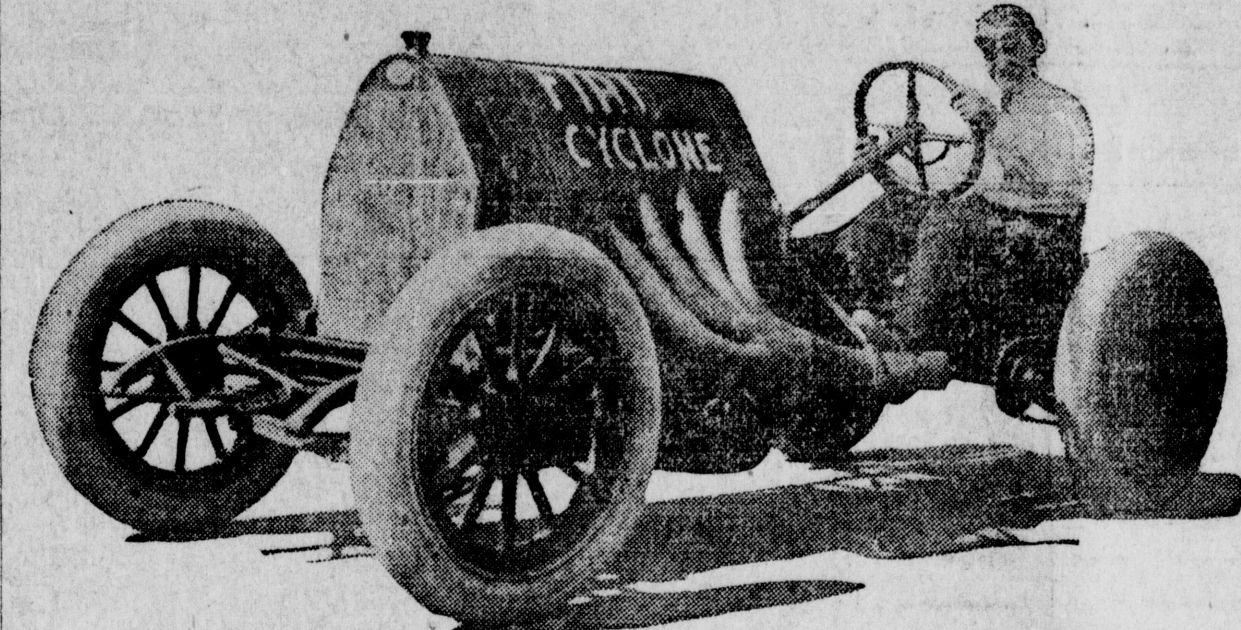
Monday. You begin with 5 cents and increase 5 cents each week. At the end of 50 weeks you have \$63.75. Next

# YEAR

I will give presents to all my friends. But this is not the only plan they have.

## Barney Oldfield in Famous Fiat 'Cyclone' To Race Aeroplane Here Christmas Day

"The Master Driver of the World," and the car in which he will race Bob Burman, the "Speed King," for fifty miles at Ascot Park Sunday for the dirt track record.



Yesterday arrangements were completed at Los Angeles for Barney Oldfield and "Mickey" McGuire to appear at the Santa Ana race track Christmas day, in a race between McGuire, in his fast racing aeroplane, and Barney, at the wheel of the famous Fiat Cyclone, the same car he is to drive Sunday when he meets Bob Burman at Ascot in the 50-mile speed duel for the dirt track championship of the world.

Wilfred Collins and Nelson Stafford, who, with Dr. H. J. Stevens, are promoting the meet here Christmas, went to Los Angeles yesterday and met Oldfield at the Pacific Motor Racing headquarters and completed all arrangements for the "master driver of the world" to appear here.

The main event of the day will of course be the race between the monster Fiat and the speedy aeroplane, but in addition to this Barney will drive several exhibition miles, not alone in the Fiat, but in his powerful 300-horsepower Christie as well and McGuire will give, for the first time in the history of aeroplane flying in Orange county, a daring exhibition of

creating a great deal of interest in this locality and it seems certain that one of the largest crowds ever in attendance at a motorcycle race meet here will be present at the Santa Ana race track when the speed fiends start their grinds.

The races will be refereed by Paul J. C. ("Daredevil") Dorkum. He will also act as director of contests.

The events, for which, as already stated, more than \$200 in prizes has been subscribed, will consist of a 50-mile free-for-all, with \$40 as first prize, \$25 as second prize and \$5 as third prize; a 25-mile open event, first prize, \$30; second prize, \$20; third prize, \$10. O 10-mile stripped stock race, first prize, \$15; second prize, \$10. A 10-mile open event, first prize, \$20; second prize, \$10. Trials for a track record, prize \$10, and a 9-mile match race, best two of three heats, between Don Johns, riding his Cyclone, and Monty Graves, on his 8-valve Indian, prize \$25.

Arrangements have been made with Santa Ana stages for a ten-cent fare each way to the race course. Rossiter and Rogers state that ample seating facilities will be provided.

## STURDY MISSION TRUCK IN NUMBER OF SEVERE TESTS

E. D. Lucas, local agent for the Mission Motor Truck, with headquarters at 292 West Fourth street, has put the classy little car through a number of tests recently which prove the pulling power of the motor, as well as its general all-round utility.

With one of the half-ton trucks Lucas pulled 1250 pounds of sand through the river bottom at the Seventeenth street bridge. With another half-ton Mission truck Lucas went through Brea canyon with 1500 pound loads. On the same trip the sturdy little car pulled the same load over the Lemon Heights grade with but one change of gear, and that into intermediate.

Lucas states that he has a great number of good prospects for the Mission, and that by reason of the Mission's economical running qualities, its full T-head motor and its high-tension magneto he needs to do but very little talking to convince prospective customers that he has a car that "delivers the goods." The Mission half-ton chassis sells at \$850, and the one and one-half ton chassis at \$1185.

The Mission truck is entirely a Southern California product, being manufactured in Los Angeles.

Among those who have purchased Missions are Jim Long, Graham Furniture Company, Anaheim, A. G. Lucas and the I. Yama Produce Company, Orange.

**Hupmobile Deliveries**  
Ellis H. Smith has recently delivered Hupmobiles to William Slater of Smeltzer and to Mr. Green of the Guy M. Rush Company, North Main street.

breath-taking aerial stunts, such as "the dip of death," spiral diving and many other fancy tricks.

### Chamber of Commerce Aids

At the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last night that body voted \$25 to go towards the hire of the Santa Ana band at the race track Christmas day. There will necessarily be intervals between Oldfield's and McGuire's stunts and these will be taken up with band music. This action of the Chamber of Commerce in thus boosting amusements is greatly appreciated by the men having the meet in charge here and will no doubt meet with the heartiest approval of all who desire to see a revival of first-class events at the Santa Ana track.

The Pacific Motor Racing Association, in which Oldfield is interested, is anxious to establish a circuit in Southern California for the purpose of holding automobile and motorcycle meets. Should sufficient interest be shown here it is certain that Santa Ana will be one of the cities on the circuit.

### Will Get the Speed

"We are determined to give the public of Santa Ana its money's worth on Christmas day," said Oldfield yesterday. "Orange county has a large population and I am sure that if the people are given first rate entertainment in the way of racing and other events they will heartily support our plan to make Santa Ana one of the cities on our circuit."

Arrangements have already been made with the different auto stage owners of Santa Ana for reducing fares to the race track Christmas day. The charge will be ten cents per person, making a rate of twenty cents for the round trip.

There will be ample seating facilities provided to take care of all patrons who do not come to the track in their own autos.

The owners of the track have given assurance that should a sufficient amount of enthusiasm be shown at the Oldfield-McGuire meet and at the motorcycle races (which are to be held New Year's day, they will remodel the old grandstand and put the entire grounds in shape.

## Jack Smelt Fishing Is Vic Walker's V-e-r-y Latest

BY VICTOR WALKER

If half the stories of fishing at Huntington Beach are truthful there sure are some hungry fish around the long pier. One man took one hundred and twenty-six jack smelt during one evening's fishing. Two other chaps caught forty pounds of pompano another evening, while still another angler took thirty-six beautiful sea bass (commonly called sea trout.)

Now, these fish were not taken in the ordinary way, nor were they taken with a seine. A suspicious mortal could never catch them, for the preparation bears altogether too much resemblance to the famous midnight snipe hunt. Am not sure yet but what we may have been holding the sack. Anyway, this is how it happens:

We were told, by a perfectly reliable friend, that an up-to-date angler had introduced jack smelt fishing at Huntington Beach and that his success had been unparalleled, not only in smelt, but in pompano and sea trout fishing.

The angler used a gasoline torch fastened to a long bamboo pole so that it could be hung within a few feet of the water. A large reflector was used, lighting up the water to a depth of six or eight feet. The light drew all kinds of fish to the surface.

Their movements were perfectly clear. The angler then cast his bait into the lighted water. If a fish struck the move was plain, and few fish escaped the hook.

This all appeared so simple that we decided to give the game a try. We borrowed an electric storage battery and with the aid of an electrician and a Ford headlight fitted up a real work of art in electric lights.

We did not feel too sure of ourselves, and not wishing to attract too much attention, tried the wave motor wharf first. Cold? Honest, the north pole is warm compared to that pier at night time, and we fished for an hour without a strike.

The tide went out and left our little light brightening up the sand flats between breakers, but never showing a single fish. A successful angler never gives up. We were going to be successful. Some one suggested the deep water at the end of the long pier. Then all we had to do was to spend another hour tearing down our electric light gear and shifting it over to the long pier.

Once more we put out our electric apparatus, and this time we were rewarded. We could see jack smelt jumping and numerous other fish. Another hour of fishing and one poor little pompano was taken.

## SELL 9 COLE CARS IN EIGHT WEEKS

That Santa Claus will leave two six-cylinder automobiles in the vicinity of Santa Ana is the firm conviction of Mr. Wisdom of the local Cole agency, who asserts that people this year, more than ever before, are making practical gifts to their families, and gifts that all can appreciate and enjoy for years to come. Besides these sales here, the Cole people in Los Angeles have three Cole roadsters and four touring cars "tagged" up for delivery in Los Angeles Christmas morning.

In commenting on general business conditions, Mr. Wisdom says their sales will show 100 per cent increase for the year 1914, and that if present conditions continue, it will be necessary to again enlarge the local Cole establishment. In substantiation of this assertion, Mr. Wisdom states that his company has sold and delivered in this territory nine Cole cars within the last eight weeks. That is a record to be proud of.

**Paige Sales**  
Kelly & Lowe, agents for the Cadillac and Paige cars, have recently delivered a Paige roadster to the Santa Ana Co-operative Sugar Company; a Paige touring car to George Nelson of Orange; a Paige touring car to J. R. Smith of Santa Ana.

## RAIN INTERFERES WITH TRACK WORK

"Jupe" Pluvius has been interfering somewhat extensively with work at Poly high but nevertheless the sprinters have been out every evening that weather permitted. Stiff muscles are gradually being rounded into shape and it is certain that by the time Christmas rolls round Coach Hall will have a good lot of material to work with.

Ernest and Paul Plavan, remembered for their fast work last season, have both been out often as have also Trago, Wins, Adkinson, Davis, Best, Keeney, Utter and Christensen.

The date for the cross-country has not yet been announced but a big field will start in this event, if present indications count for anything. A number of the men have not yet been out for practice but those that have been out for light work will have "the edge" on the others when track work begins in earnest.

Owing to several accidents, mostly due to the late storm, the Star stage will discontinue the schedule, only temporarily. Three of the cars are out of commission, but will soon be replaced and the schedule resumed.

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## AUTOMOBILE ROBES For Xmas Gifts

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Complete Stock of  
**PORTAGE TIRES**  
"Made to Make Good."

**RACINE TIRES**  
"Best in the Long Run."

**TIRES**  
will keep your tire expense down where it ought to be. Better try one

Search lamps \$6.00 up  
Flashlights \$1.00 up  
Auto Gloves \$1.50 up  
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Electric Horns \$4.50 put on

**EXTRA SPECIAL**  
Tire Covers, all sizes, each \$1.50

Steamer Robes \$5 up  
Auto Chamois 50c up  
Ford Shock Absorbers \$12.50  
Ford Rubber Mats \$1.50  
Weed Chains \$4.00 up  
Rear Sight Mirrors \$1.00 up

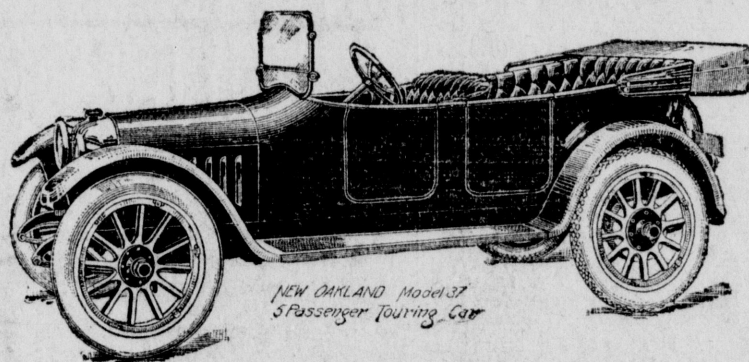
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Exclusive agency for Howe Tubes. THE BEST ON EARTH

## The Orange County Automobile League

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## New 1915 OAKLANDS

Model 37, 5-Passenger, fully equipped here . . . \$1350  
Model 37, Roadster, fully equipped here . . . \$1300



Fully equipped with Standard Delco Starting, Lighting and Ignition system, with automatic spark advance, Non-skid Tires in rear, Oakland One-man Top, absolutely true to name, heavy Crown Fenders, extra large Valves, Tungsten steel, divided Windshield, Speedometer, Electric Horn operated from center of steering wheel, Headlights with a dimmer, Shroud Light, Tail Light, Tools, License Tag Brackets, in fact, every practical, modern improvement and convenience for the comfort and safety of the driver and passengers.

**H. L. CLARK, Orange County Agent**  
SERVICE STATION—210-212 NORTH MAIN STREET

## Auto Specialty Co.

The leading and best equipped shop in Orange County for doing the following work:

**Radiator Repairing, Windshield, Lamp and Fender Repairing**  
**AUTOMOBILE NICKLE PLATING**

All the above work done under a positive guarantee. Moderate charges.

## Auto Specialty Co.

416-418 North Sycamore St.



## TO MAKE ROUND ROCKS AS ORE GRINDERS

F. P. Jayne and Warren K. Hillyard Interested in Unique Project Near Tonopah

USED TO GET ROCK ON DENMARK'S SHORE

Chief Deputy in County Surveyor's Office Resigns to Take Up Proposition

Warren K. Hillyard, for four years chief deputy in the office of County Surveyor J. L. McBride, and F. P. Jayne, a mining man of 301 East Washington avenue, are interested in a project that proposes to furnish round rock for use in ore crushing plants. The project is one that has opened as a result of the war in Europe.

Before the war started practically all of the round, hard rock used in ore grinding in this country was imported from Denmark, where it was picked up along the shores. The war has cut off the supply.

About forty miles from Tonopah and near Manhattan, Nev., is a lot of rock. It is unusually hard, and has the qualities that made the Denmark rock the best to be had. However, it is not water worn like the Denmark rock. The corners must be rounded off before it can be used.

Jayne, Hillyard and the man who owns the land upon which the rock is located are joined together in the proposition. Jayne is now on the ground, and Hillyard has resigned his position under McBride. He will leave for the Nevada district next week.

The men believe that they can furnish the mines with rock at a figure that will be advantageous, and before the war ends the plant will be in such shape that it can compete with

the Denmark rock. In brief, the manner in which the rock is used is as follows: The hard rock is placed in the same receptacle with ore. The receptacle is then shaken in such manner that the hard rock grinds up the soft ore.

## "WETS" WIN VICTORY IN INVALIDATION OF LAW

AUSTIN, Texas, Dec. 17.—The stringent Allison liquor law, prohibiting shipment of liquor into dry territory in Texas, yesterday was practically invalidated by a decision of the court of Criminal Appeals which Judge Prendergast said "wiped it off the statute books." Today's decision declared any person or agent might carry or ship liquor into dry territory provided it was not the intention to use the liquor for unlawful purposes or for resale in dry area. The Allison law forbade newspapers to carry liquor advertisements in dry territory.

## BAY CITIES CONSIDER UNEMPLOYED PROBLEM

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—A committee named by Mayor Rolph met today to devise means of handling the unemployed situation. The committee will act in concert with the authorities of Oakland, Berkeley, Alameda, Stockton and Sacramento. The "floating indigent" will be discouraged in all the bay cities.

## CLARENCE ROWLAND TO MANAGE WHITE SOX

CHICAGO, Dec. 17.—It has been announced at the American League Club's office that Clarence Rowland, manager of the Peoria Club of the Three League, will manage the White Sox next season. The announcement came as a surprise on account of the recent statement that Eddie Collins was to manage the White Sox. It is rumored that Collins is to go to the New York Americans.

Big Special Sale now on Coats and Suits and Dresses—a big saving. You can save \$5 to \$15 by coming to Gilbert's. Immense assortment to choose from. Come and see for yourself. Take the elevator to our second floor, at Gilbert's, today.

Special Ben Hur coffee—a half-pound can given with each pound purchase while being demonstrated at Santa Ana Produce Co., 311 North Main street, Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Learn bookkeeping at night in Orange County Business College.

Wingood's Drug Store for Gifts.

## AT THE COURTHOUSE

## SIX BURGLARS' FINGER PRINTS THEIR UNDOING

Expert Gets Marks on Lamp Chimney and Dishes; Crimes Are Confessed

Today, for Volume in Criminal Business, Largest in Orange County's History

When hilariously feasting in cottages at Arch Beach, six wanderers of the road and tracks had no idea they were right then convicting themselves of felony. They did not know that each time they grasped an object positive identification was left behind.

No two men have the same finger prints. Faced with evidence six men confessed that they were the men who burglarized cottages at the beach village. Four of the six men were this morning sentenced to San Quentin.

It was about a week ago that three young fellows were arrested at Corona Del Mar. They had a shotgun, opera glasses, field glasses and other articles in their possession, since identified as the property of Robert M. Simon of Santa Ana.

Two days later four others were arrested at Serra. They also had a quantity of stolen articles, including canned goods.

Deputy Sheriff F. M. Dean, who is in charge of the finger print system at the county jail, went to the cottages at Arch Beach that had been robbed. He found a lamp chimney showing plainly where soiled fingers had grasped it. Other marks were found on dishes. These articles were brought to the jail and the markings intensified by blowing a black powder upon them. Photographs were taken of the prints, and were compared with the prints that Dean had taken of the seven prisoners. It was found that the prints of six of them were on the lamp chimney and dishes. There was

absolutely no getting away from the evidence. The six men did not try to. They immediately confessed. Further, they said that the seventh man was not with them in the raid on the cottages.

Were on the Road This morning Judge West questioned each of the six confessed burglars. It seems that W. C. Collins, aged 29, and Earl Young, 25, were pals. They were at Serra when they were joined by Edward Mitchell, 20, and Richard Hunter, 20. Two men came along with big bundles of articles stolen at Arch Beach. They said "it was easy picking." Collins and Young disagreed. Young, Mitchell and Hunter went to Arch Beach, and later were followed by Collins and Lawrence Sheffield, 18, and Joe Alice, 19. The first trio went on to Corona Del Mar with their plunder and the others returned to Serra.

Judge West sized Collins and Young as the hardened pair of the bunch. Young said he had been around Ventura for a good many years. He said he had been run out of every town he went to and decided to steal some stuff to get some money ahead. Collins was sentenced to five years in San Quentin. Young to three and a half.

Mitchell, a "steepie-jack," and Hunter, a "machinist," got two years each. Sheffield said that he had left home after a disagreement with his father, and had wandered from place to place, drifting into hobo camps. Judge West had sentenced him to a year in San Quentin when he came to the conclusion that the youth deserved further consideration. He said he felt sorry for Joe Alice, who had known no home and no parents. These two, the youngest of the lot, were held over until 1:30 o'clock for disposition.

Sheffield had been sentenced to a year in San Quentin when Judge West concluded to set aside that judgment on account of the youth of the prisoner. For the same reason the judge decided not to send Joe Alice to prison. One of the boys has an uncle at San Diego, and if possible the boy will be turned over to him. One or both may be sent to the state school at Lone.

Says Drink Did It Antonio Tapia, also a victim of the finger print system, is a smooth-looking Spaniard, born at Antioch. He robbed William Schumacher's store at Anaheim on the night of November 25, and then tried to pass a bad check. He was caught. Through his finger prints Dean learned that Tapia had served a term of three years for forgery committed in San Joaquin county. He told Judge West today that drink was the cause of his downfall, that when he drinks he imagines that he owns the whole country.

"Drink," said Judge West, "that is just a very little bit better than no excuse at all." Tapia was sentenced to eleven years in San Quentin. He said he preferred San Quentin to Folsom, where he served his first term.

Neither Wins Judge Thomas called a draw in the action of H. B. Stewart against Dr. J. P. Doyle. The automobiles of the litigants collided at the corner of First and Main streets. Stewart sued for \$371.70 damages, and Dr. Doyle replied asking \$95.50 on his counterclaim. Judge Thomas decided that each was to blame. Stewart was driving faster than the law allows. Had he not been so doing there would have been no collision. Dr. Doyle cut a corner. Had he not so done there would have been no collision. Each side pays its own costs. Stewart & Stewart of Los Angeles represent the plaintiff and Finley & Kolb of Santa Ana the defendant.

Boys Sentenced Judge Thomas passed sentence on the four boys who have been breaking into houses in the Orangeflorpe district and recently entered and stole from the S. C. Hartranft home.

The boys, Ralph and Floyd Smith, Clyde Higginson and Sam White, all pleaded guilty to the charges and the last three were declared delinquents and placed under the care of Probation Officer Scott. Ralph Smith, the one who had entered the houses first each time, was given an indefinite term at Whittier but the judge suspended the sentence pending good behavior. He will also have to report to the probation officer regularly.

Eight dollars, secured at the Wilson home on Orangeflorpe about the time the Anaheim carnival was on, were spent at the carnival and at moving picture shows. The watch belonging to Mrs. Hartranft was found in another part of the dresser where the boys had placed it during their visit to the home.

Homestead Recorded A homestead has been recorded by Rebecca J. Beadmore upon lot 5, block C, Porter, Spurgeon & Rice addition to Santa Ana, value, \$3500.

Attachment Case An attachment notice has been recorded in an action brought by John Brush against A. W. Gray and others for \$99.70. Lots in the Park tract, Santa Ana, are attached.

For Guardianship Susan E. Waechter has asked for letters of guardianship upon the estates of Orla M. and Fred H. Hobbs, who have an interest in property in Hamilton county, Neb., left by their father, Hartwick & Garrett of Orange are attorneys for the petitioner.

Marriage Licenses Manuel Llerenas, 22, and Maria Ramirez, 18, both of Fullerton; Clyde M. Deardorff, 23, of Tustin, and Lela Thomas, 21, of Santa Ana.

FALL INSTANTLY KILLS EXPOSITION WORKER SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 17.—Barney Connor, an ironworker, fell from a scaffold on the exposition grounds today and was instantly killed.

DROWNED IN BATHTUB SAN DIEGO, Dec. 17.—A coroner's jury today returned a verdict of "death by accidental drowning in a bathtub," in the case of W. E. McPherson, a wealthy hotel proprietor who was found dead late yesterday at his ranch house near Ecanto.

ADMIRAL FISKE TALKS WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—America's preparedness for war was discussed before the House Naval Affairs Committee today by Admiral Fiske, Chairman. Padgett reiterated that he intends to conclude the hearings as early as possible.

When downtown stop at Taylor's for lunch any time of day. It is always good and it is CLEAN.

Low prices Wingood's Drug Store.

## SAFETY AT SEA CONVENTION RATIFIED

U. S. Senate Agrees to Resolution Reserving Right to Enact Higher Standards

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17.—The international convention for safety of life at sea, signed at London, January 2, 1914, by many world powers, was ratified by the Senate yesterday for the United States, with the adoption of a resolution reserving the right to enact higher standards than the treaty prescribes for health and safety of American vessels and to impose them upon all foreign vessels within its territorial waters.

Champions of the pending seamen's bill insisted that without the resolution on reservations the treaty might nullify the bill and regulations regarding immigrants. For several days Senators Cummins and La Follette have fought against ratification without reservation.

Ratification was necessary by December 31, in accordance with the terms of the convention. President Wilson had urged the Senate to action before that time.

## INVESTIGATE USING OF JAIL CREW ON ROAD

Yesterday a committee of the grand jury in company with Sheriff-elect C. E. Jackson made a journey to Los Angeles for the purpose of investigating the system used there of working prisoners upon county roads. It was learned that eight gangs are out at the present time and that some good work has been done.

Out of eighty men taken from jail for work on the roads, thirty were men sentenced for non-support of their families. These men are paid \$1.50 a day, the money going to the families.

It is known that the Board of Supervisors of the county has in mind a plan to send a gang of prisoners to Trabuco canyon for work on the canyon road.

## ARRANGE FOR BIG BANQUET

P. G. Beisel and Walter Vandermaast, the committee having the matter in charge, are completing arrangements for the first annual banquet and election of officers which the Merchants and Manufacturers' Association will hold at Elks' hall January 5. A banquet was held by this body several years ago but the forthcoming event will be the first since the reorganization of the association last January.

"We have not yet fully decided on our program for the evening," said Beisel today, "but we are going ahead with the work and will be ready in a short time to give out definite details. It is assured that a number of interesting talks will be given at the meeting by local members of our association and we will probably have a number of speakers from out of town."

The Santa Ana Merchants and Manufacturers' Association has now 124 members in all. Its officers are, E. S. Gilbert, president; E. B. Smith, vice president; J. C. Metzgar, secretary, and P. G. Beisel, treasurer, who are also directors of the association, as well as A. N. Zeman, E. A. White, Fred Parsons and Walter Vandermaast.

## YOUR COLD IS DANGEROUS BREAK IT UP—NOW

A cold is readily catching. A run-down system is susceptible to germs. You owe it to yourself and to others of your household to fight the germs at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar Honey is fine for Colds and Coughs and soothes the Lungs. It's guaranteed. Only 25c at your Druggist.—Advertisement.

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(Community Silver Excepted.) FROM NOW UNTIL DEC. 24 You can exchange these purchase checks for any goods in our store (Community Silver excepted) any time up to and including Jan. 1st, 1915.

H. O. Martin & Son The Tableware Store. 205 East Fourth St., Santa Ana.

## KIDS ATTENTION!

### American Model Builder Prize Contest

A \$5.00 American Model Builder will be given to the boy under 16 years who constructs the best model (not already shown in the instruction book) between now and Jan. 15th. Prize will be awarded Feb. 1st. All models entered in contest will be displayed in my window. All contestants must register before Dec. 20th.

## SAM STEIN'S STATIONERY-STORE

New Spurgeon Building. 210 West Fourth St. Headquarters for American Model Builder and Ives Trains.

## Ideal Gifts For All

See our beautiful and unusual line of goods specially selected for gifts. Gifts from 25c to \$25.00.

Casseroles .....\$2.50 up	Chafing Dish Sets .....\$15.00 up
Crumb Sets .....\$1.00 up	Carving Sets .....\$2.00 to \$15.00
Percolators .....\$2.00 up	Keen Kutter Shears .....50c up
Fireless Cookers .....\$12.00 up	Pocket Knives .....25c to \$5.00
Aluminum Ware, all prices.	Safety Razors .....\$1.00 to \$5.00

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## Electrical Xmas Gifts

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ELECTRIC TOASTERS	ELECTRIC CHAFING DISHES
ELECTRIC FLASH LIGHTS	ELECTRIC WATER HEATERS
ELECTRIC TOY MOTORS	ELECTRIC BROTILERS
ELECTRIC GRILLS	ELECTRIC TEA KETTLES
ELECTRIC LIGHT OUTFITS FOR CHRISTMAS TREES	ELECTRIC SHAVING MUGS

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All the Delicacies of the Season.

## For Your Xmas Dinner

Fruits—Nuts—Turkeys—Vegetables—Meats. Order your Christmas Turkey now.

Christmas Trees 30c to \$1.50.

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Successors to James Market.

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## It Will Help You

in making your Christmas selections if you will visit our store. We have a fine line of Toys. We carry the best line of Pocket Knives, Scissors, and Carving Sets in the city. See us for boys' Tool Sets, Express Wagons, Tricycles and Toy Barrows. We are headquarters for Wear-Ever Aluminum Ware, Casseroles and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Come and see.

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C. S. Kendail, Proprietor

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## Special Christmas Outfit

prices on Violins, Ukuleles, Cornets, Mandolins, and all other small instruments.

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## Christmas Saving Sale Ladies Tailored Suits \$10 to \$17.50

The former prices on these suits were \$20.00 to \$35.00, long or short coats. All new models purchased for this season's selling. Take elevator to the handsomest suit department in the county.

## Special Sale Children's Coats

Every coat in stock sharply reduced for quick selling. All new styles bought this season. Sizes range from 4 years to 16 years. Come in plushes, Astrakhan, velours, mixtures.

Prices this week \$2.50 - \$3.50 - \$4.50

## Every Doll in Stock on Sale Today at Half Price

## Cut This Ad Out and Bring It With You

## Beautiful Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs

You never saw such a pretty line of handkerchiefs. Dainty embroidery, Convent edgings. Come in neat Xmas boxes. Some with colored initial, the very latest fad.

SPECIAL TODAY! Box of Three 50c—All Linen—Box of Three 75c

## Our Infants' Department

This is one of our busiest departments. So many pretty novelties for the little ones. Those booties, mittens, sweaters, leggings, and other knit goods are especially good for Xmas gifts. Come while the assortments are complete, 25c to \$3.00 each.

## FURS!!—XMAS—FURS!!

Every fur set now on sale at a very special saving. The assortment is still very good. A visit to our fur department will save you from \$5.00 to \$10.00 on every set on sale. Take elevator to our second floor.

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SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 17, 1914.

## WORLD GAS BIKE RECORDS MAY BE BROKEN

International Champs to Battle  
for Honors Here New  
Year's Day

PRESENT LOCAL TRACK  
MARK IS SURE TO GO

Johns, Creviston, Gowdy,  
Graves and Many Others  
Are to Race

That the present record for the Santa Ana race track will be shattered seems a certainty when Ray Creviston, Carl Gowdy, Monty Graves, Freddie Ludlow, Peyton Burke, A. Walters and other internationally famous motorcycle riders meet at the local track New Year's day. There is more than a possibility that world's motorcycle records will be broken when these dare-devil gas bike riders get together in the race for the \$200 prizes which have been put up by Walter Rogers, of Orange, and Harry Rossiter, of this city, promoters of the meet.

The record on the local track is 50 2-5 seconds and was made in 1912 by Monty Graves. He and Don Johns will ride a match race, Johns on his Cyclone and Graves on his speedy 8-valve Indian. Both of these riders are known throughout the country as among the best men in the professional motorcycle racing game.

Don Johns' Cyclone is entered for five of the events New Year's day. His machine has made one mile on a three-lap track in 34 4-10 seconds. In a 5-mile race, in competition the Cyclone made the distance in 3 minutes, 47 seconds flat, on a dirt track.

Carl Gowdy, who holds the national 25-miles championship, will bring his famous Excelsior to Santa Ana to ride in four big events.

Ray Creviston, who is known in gas bike racing circles as "the fastest little man on wheels," will make them all hustle on New Year's day. He will bring his 8-valve Indian here for the meet. Creviston holds the present world's record on a dirt track, his time being 43 1-5 seconds, made on an Indian during the present year at St. Louis.

No such array of speed talent has ever been seen together at one time for any meet anywhere. At least that is what the motorcycle men themselves say.

The forthcoming event is already

# NO

I did not belong to the Xmas Savings Club of the Orange County Savings & Trust Co. this year, so I wish that

# XMAS

were not here. But I am going to have them explain it to me, and join the club which starts

# NEXT

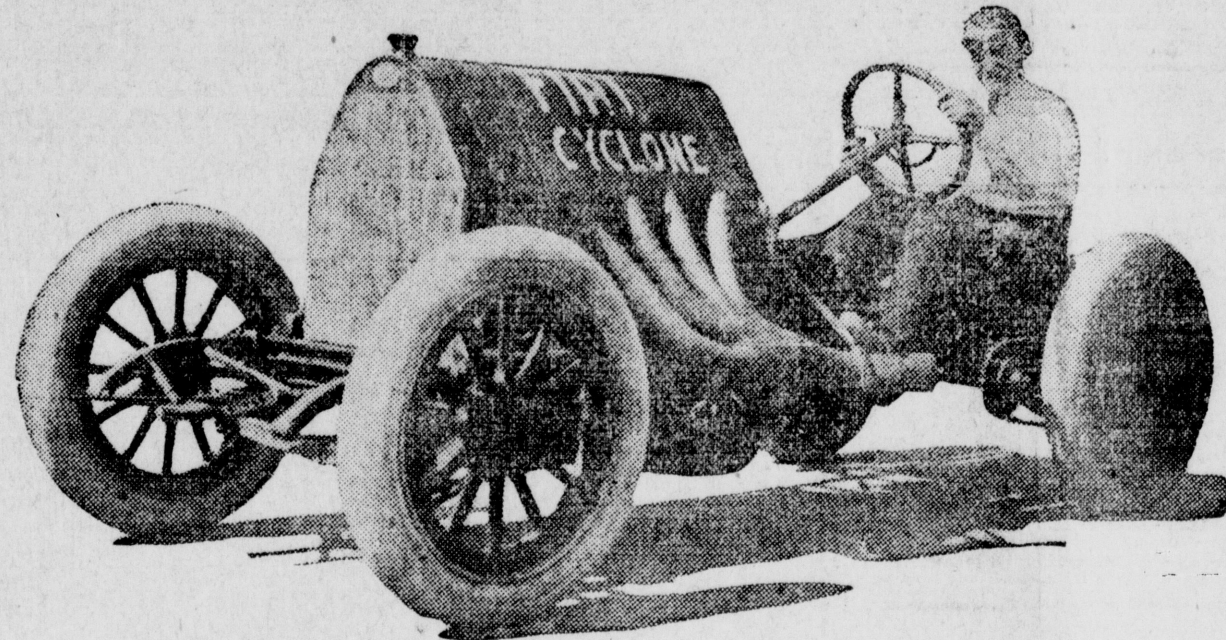
Monday. You begin with 5 cents and increase 5 cents each week. At the end of 50 weeks you have \$63.75. Next

# YEAR

I will give presents to all my friends. But this is not the only plan they have.

## Barney Oldfield in Famous Fiat 'Cyclone' To Race Aeroplane Here Christmas Day

"The Master Driver of the World," and the car in which he will race Bob Burman, the "Speed King," for fifty miles at Ascot Park Sunday for the dirt track record.



Yesterday arrangements were completed at Los Angeles for Barney Oldfield and "Mickey" McGuire to appear at the Santa Ana race track Christmas day, in a race between McGuire, in his fast racing aeroplane, and Barney, at the wheel of the famous Fiat Cyclone, the same car he is to drive Sunday when he meets Bob Burman at Ascot in the 50-mile speed duel for the dirt track championship of the world.

Wilfred Collins and Nelson Stafford, who, with Dr. H. J. Stevens, are promoting the meet here Christmas, went to Los Angeles yesterday and met Oldfield at the Pacific Motor Racing headquarters and completed all arrangements for the "master driver of the world" to appear here.

The main event of the day will of course be the race between the monster Fiat and the speedy aeroplane, but in addition to this Barney will drive several exhibition miles, not alone in the Fiat, but in his powerful 300-horsepower Christie as well and McGuire will give, for the first time in the history of aeroplane flying in Orange county, a daring exhibition of

breath-taking aerial stunts, such as "the dip of death," spiral diving and many other fancy tricks.

### Chamber of Commerce Aids

At the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce last night that body voted \$25 to go towards the hire of the Santa Ana band at the race track Christmas day. There will necessarily be intervals between Oldfield's and McGuire's stunts and these will be taken up with band music. This action of the Chamber of Commerce in thus boosting amusements is greatly appreciated by the men having the meet in charge here and will no doubt meet with the heartiest approval of all who desire to see a revival of first-class events at the Santa Ana track.

The Pacific Motor Racing Association, in which Oldfield is interested, is anxious to establish a circuit in Southern California for the purpose of holding automobile and motorcycle meets. Should sufficient interest be shown here it is certain that Santa Ana will be one of the cities on the circuit.

### Will Get the Speed

"We are determined to give the public of Santa Ana its money's worth on Christmas day," said Oldfield yesterday. "Orange county has a large population and I am sure that if the people are given first rate entertainment in the way of racing and other events they will heartily support our plan to make Santa Ana one of the cities on our circuit."

Arrangements have already been made with the different auto stage owners of Santa Ana for reducing fares to the race track Christmas day. The charge will be ten cents per person, making a rate of twenty cents for the round trip.

There will be ample seating facilities provided to take care of all patrons who do not come to the track in their own autos. The owners of the track have given assurance that should a sufficient amount of enthusiasm be shown at the Oldfield-McGuire meet and at the motorcycle races (which are to be held New Year's day, they will remodel the old grandstand and put the entire grounds in shape.

## Jack Smelt Fishing Is Vic Walker's V-e-r-y Latest

BY VICTOR WALKER

If half the stories of fishing at Huntington Beach are truthful there sure are some hungry fish around the long pier. One man took one hundred and twenty-six jack smelt during one evening's fishing. Two other chaps caught forty pounds of pompano another evening, while still another angler took thirty-six beautiful sea bass (commonly called sea trout.)

Now, these fish were not taken in the ordinary way, nor were they taken with a seine. A suspicious mortal could never catch them, for the preparation bears altogether too much resemblance to the famous midnight snipe hunt. Am not sure yet but what we may have been holding the sack. Anyway, this is how it happens:

We were told, by a perfectly reliable friend, that an up-to-date angler had introduced jack smelt fishing at Huntington Beach and that his success had been unparalleled, not only in smelt, but in pompano and sea trout fishing.

The angler used a gasoline torch fastened to a long bamboo pole so that it could be held within a few feet of the water. A large reflector was used, lighting up the water to a depth of six or eight feet. The light drew all kinds of fish to the surface.

Their movements were perfectly clear. The angler then cast his bait into the lighted water. If a fish struck the move was plain, and few fish escaped the hook.

This all appeared so simple that we decided to give the game a try. We borrowed an electric storage battery and with the aid of an electrician and a Ford headlight fitted up a real work of art in electric lights.

We did not feel too sure of ourselves, and not wishing to attract too much attention, tried the wave motor wharf first. Cold? Honest, the north pole is warm compared to that pier at night time, and we fished for an hour without a strike.

The tide went out and left our little light brightening up the sand fleas between breakers, but never showing a single fish. A successful angler never gives up. We were going to be successful. Some one suggested the deep water at the end of the long pier. Then all we had to do was to spend another hour tearing down our electric light gear and shifting it over to the long pier.

Once more we put out our electric apparatus, and this time we were rewarded. We could see jack smelt galore and numerous other fish. Another hour of fishing and one poor little pompano was taken.

## SELL 9 COLE CARS IN EIGHT WEEKS

That Santa Claus will leave two six-cylinder automobiles in the vicinity of Santa Ana is the firm conviction of Mr. Wisdom of the local Cole agency, who asserts that people this year, more than ever before, are making practical gifts to their families, and gifts that all can appreciate and enjoy for years to come. Besides these sales here, the Cole people in Los Angeles have three Cole roadsters and four touring cars "tagged" up for delivery in Los Angeles Christmas morning.

In commenting on general business conditions, Mr. Wisdom says their sales will show 100 per cent increase for the year 1914, and that if present conditions continue, it will be necessary to again enlarge the local Cole establishment. In substantiation of this assertion, Mr. Wisdom states that his company has sold and delivered in this territory nine Cole cars within the last eight weeks. That is a record to be proud of.

### Paige Sales

Kelly & Lowe, agents for the Cadillac and Paige cars, have recently delivered a Paige roadster to the Santa Ana Co-operative Sugar Company; a Paige touring car to George Nelson of Orange; a Paige touring car to J. R. Smith of Santa Ana.

## RAIN INTERFERES WITH TRACK WORK

"Jupe" Plavins has been interfering somewhat extensively with work at Poly high but nevertheless the sprinters have been out every evening that weather permitted. Stiff muscles are gradually being rounded into shape and it is certain that by the time Christmas rolls round Coach Hall will have a good lot of material to work with.

Ernest and Paul Plavan, remembered for their fast work last season, have both been out often as have also Trago, Winans, Adkinson, Davis, Best, Keeney, Utter and Christensen.

The date for the cross-country has not yet been announced but a big field will start in this event, if present indications count for anything. A number of the men have not yet been out for practice but those that have been out for light work will have "the edge" on the others when track work begins in earnest.

Owing to several accidents, mostly due to the late storm, the Star stage will discontinue the schedule, only temporarily. Three of the cars are out of commission, but will soon be replaced and the schedule resumed.

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Tire Covers, all sizes, each \$1.50

Steamer Robes \$5 up  
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Ford Shock Absorbers \$12.50  
Ford Rubber Mats \$1.50  
Weed Chains \$4.00 up  
Rear Sight Mirrors \$1.00 up

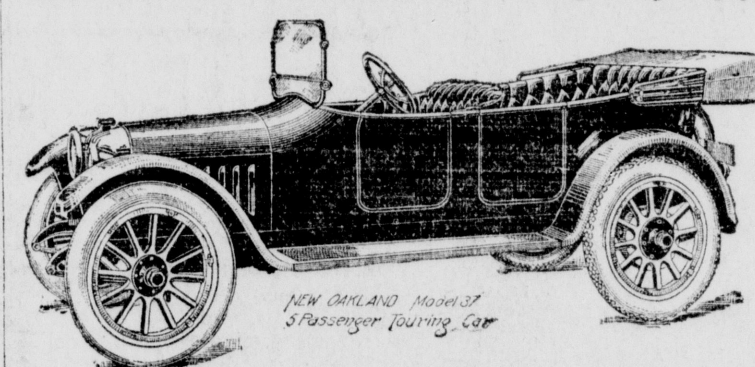
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Model 37, 5-Passenger, fully equipped here . . . \$1350  
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Fully equipped with Standard Delco Starting, Lighting and Ignition system, with automatic spark advance, Non-skid Tires in rear, Oakland One-man Top, absolutely true to name, heavy Crown Fenders, extra large Valves, Tungsten steel, divided Windshield, Speedometer, Electric Horn operated from center of steering wheel, Headlights with a dimmer, Shroud Light, Tail Light, Tools, License Tag Brackets, in fact, every practical, modern improvement and convenience for the comfort and safety of the driver and passengers.

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All the above work done under a positive guarantee. Moderate charges.

## Auto Specialty Co.

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## STURDY MISSION TRUCK IN NUMBER OF SEVERE TESTS

E. D. Lucas, local agent for the Mission Motor Truck, with headquarters at 302 West Fourth street, has put the classy little car through a number of tests recently which prove the pulling power of the motor, as well as its general all-round utility. With one of the half-ton trucks Lucas pulled 1250 pounds of sand through the river bottom at the Seventh street bridge. With another half-ton Mission truck Lucas went through Brea canyon with 1500 pound loads. On the same trip the sturdy little car pulled the same load over the Lemon Heights grade with but one change of gear, and that into intermediate.

Lucas states that he has a great number of good prospects for the Mission, and that by reason of the Mission's economical running qualities, its full T-head motor and its high-tension magneto he needs to do but very little talking to convince prospective customers that he has a car that "delivers the goods." The Mission half-ton chassis sells at \$850, and the one and one-half ton chassis at \$1185.

The Mission truck is entirely a Southern California product, being manufactured in Los Angeles.

Among those who have purchased Missions are Jim Long, Graham Furniture Company, Anaheim, A. G. Lucas and the I. Yama Produce Company, Orange.

### Hupmobile Deliveries

Ellis H. Smith has recently delivered Hupmobiles to William Slater of Smeltzer and to Mr. Green of the Guy M. Rush Company, North Main street.



# BARNEY OLDFIELD

Master Driver  
of the World

WITH HIS FIAT CYCLONE, AND 300 H. P. CHRISTIE WILL BE SEEN IN SPEED TRIALS FOR THE DIRT TRACK RECORD

and MAGUIRE "The Wild Irish Rose of the Sky"

Sky Tangoing, Spirals, and the Death Dip. Ample seating capacity in new bleachers. FREE BAND CONCERT. 10c fare each way in auto busses.

## Santa Ana Race Track---Christmas Day

2:30 to 4:30.

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The rainy weather of the past few weeks has put no damper on the ardor of the Poly girls' basketball teams; in fact, judging from the spirit with which the girls have entered into the pastime this winter they are out-doing the track men in the matter of turning out for practice and inter-class games. This, in spite of the fact that inter-school basketball will not be played this season.

No stars have developed at any of the games played so far, and nothing sensational in the way of scoring has been done, but nevertheless the great benefit that the girls have derived from the healthful exercise has more than offset the lack of stellar plays and players.

The great enthusiasm that the girls are showing speaks extremely well for the school. In recent years the girls have been taking more and more interest in athletics.

Aside from the natural attractiveness of the game, it is quite likely that the cool weather which has prevailed of late has had more than a little to do with the interest that is being shown. "Warming up" in a good fast game of basketball during a cool evening is one of the best tonics there is. The games are attracting good-sized crowds.

On the senior team are Marie Harris, captain, who plays a running center; Genevieve Smith, center; Anita McDonald, Irene Jacques, who was a member of last season's first team and plays a jumping center, forwards; and Gladys Burkett and Emily West, guards.

The junior team is composed of Julia Parisich, captain, who plays a slashing good forward, and Stella Anderson, forwards; Emma Planchon and Holly Dale, centers; and Nellie Irvine, who plays a very good guard, and Jeannet Hies, guards.

The sophomores are represented by a good team composed of Gladys Stearns, captain, and Rowena Coffey, guards; Blanche Holyland and Irene Watry, forwards; Virginia Bell and Gladys Shallenberger, centers.

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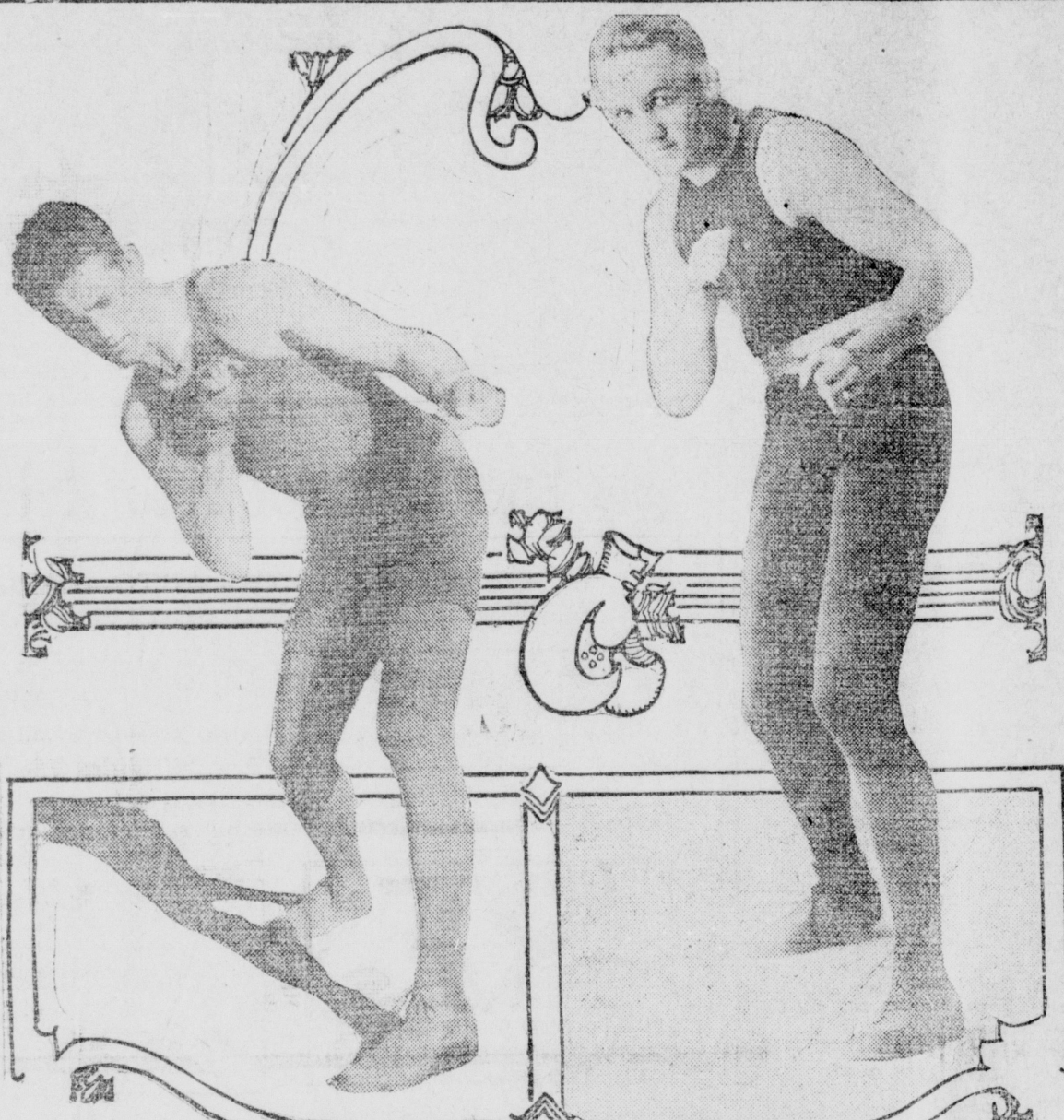
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It is doubtful if there ever were two better middleweight boxers. Kild McCoy says that Clabby is the equal of Tommy Ryan at his best, and it is admitted Gibbons is

one of the greatest boxers the world has known. Neither is as much of a fighter as Box Fitzsimmons when he held the middleweight title, nor Sam Langford in the days when Sam could make 158 pounds, but it is doubtful if any man of this division ever equalled them as boxers.

Gibbons, who has been accused of trying to sidestep Clabby, said Thanksgiving day he would meet the Hammond man either in Milwaukee or New York. It depended on the club which could give the

largest purse. Unfortunately for the lovers of pugilism the cities where the largest purse could be given for this contest permit only ten rounds. A championship ought not to be fought under such conditions. With no decision no championship can be settled without a knockout. When the women of California voted fighting out of this state, where twenty-round championship bouts went to a decision, they made it almost impossible to hold championship fights.

### FLEET OF 'TIN-GLADS' FURIOUSLY FUSILADED

Newport News: The accustomed quiet of Saturday afternoon at Balboa was rudely disturbed by a flock of saucy canvasbacks that paraded past the Balboa pavilion last week, to the chagrin of a trio of local sportsmen and the entertainment of the entire community. It happened this way:

For many days Messrs. Knorr, Jordan and Lindenberg had been giving the subject of duck hunting much attention. The insignificant ruddy, or even the fast flying teal was scarcely worthy of a thought by the mighty nimrods. It must be canvas back or nothing. For days they had been preparing for just such an event. Guns had been cleaned and kept in readiness to be snatched up at the first suggestion of the approach of the big birds. So was it natural to suppose that when the great event finally took place our boys would not be up and doing? So that is why, perhaps, that they were the first to respond to the magic call, completely oblivious, even running over their less fortunate companions in their haste to man the boats. "First in war," they sprang into action in much the same way that a shipwrecked mariner would respond to the cry of "Sail, ho!"

Under the able leadership of Admiral Knorr the expedition hastily embarked in one of the pavilion row-boats. What matter if there were no outboards in the craft? "Theirs was not to reason why," so into the jaws of fate rowed the three hunters, trying their best to appear as if fifty canvas backs in front of Ferguson's wharf was a daily occurrence. Skillfully sculling the war-craft, they man-

euvered for a commanding position to begin the slaughter.

"Wait until you can see the whites of their eyes," commanded the Admiral. And they waited! Terrible James crouched motionless in the bottom of the skiff, and "Dead Shot Charley" fingered his deadly weapon with diabolical precision.

Inch by inch, exercising all of the craft of the huntsman's art, they proceeded. They were almost within range. Soon would come the order, "Commence firing." Ducks to the right of them, ducks to the left of them—not a man faltered. Admiral Knorr with the calm courage that has made his name famous, stood by the rapid fire gun, aiming a terrific broadside at the largest and most imposing of the enemy.

"Range!" barked the "Dead Shot." The physiological moment had arrived at last.

"Commence firing!" Would that we might draw the mantle of sweet charity over the pitiful scene that followed. For, as the blue haze of battle cleared to permit of vision, a strange miracle of fate had transformed the noble birds into a fleet of tin canvas backs.

Flaunting their varicolored labels, the terrible armada drifted lazily by. The Admiral's chin trembled, while great crocodile tears dimmed the azure eyes of the "Dead Shot" as they recognized the personnel of the enemy.

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Silently the huntsmen wended their way homeward. High in the air a sea gull screamed a challenge of defiance. Close by an aged coot flapped, chuckling. "Shoot, if you must, this old gray head," he croaked, "but spare the nation's food supply."

L'Envoi  
Alone, upon a small wharf, near the pavilion, the arch-demon who made it all possible, stands, fiendishly grinning over the havoc he had wrought by launching his fleet of "tin-glads."

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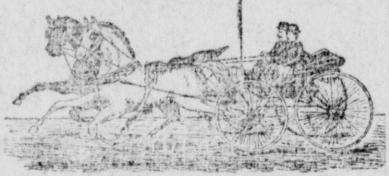
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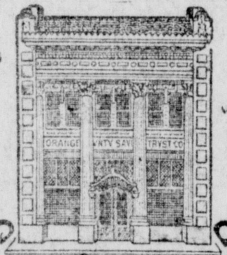


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ANOTHER DRAW FOR SNODGRASS-ARROUSEZ

Williams-Lyons Bout Tame; Clark and Hendricks Mix Matters

A small attendance but a rattling good show, was the verdict of the fans at last night's smoker and boxing show. The wet weather prevented many of the most ardent fans from being present, but those who did get out were given a real treat.

All the bouts ended in draws and the decisions of Referee Bert Drury proved very satisfactory.

In the big go of the evening, Jack Gordon of Portland, Ore., and Walter South of Los Angeles, went six fast rounds to a draw. These boys, who met a week ago over the same route and with the same result, tried in vain to produce a winner but to no avail. In the early rounds Gordon built up a clear lead but South by fast and clever work in the last two evened matters up. Gordon proved the aggressor and carried the fight to South from the start. Gordon seemed to tire toward the end of the bout, while South came back stronger, this being probably due to his extra exertions in the early part of the fight. A draw was all that could be given, as a decision to either boy would have been an injustice to the other.

Walter Williams and Danni Lyons put up a good exhibition but were somewhat of a disappointment to the lovers of the rougher kind of boxing. The boys contented themselves with light boxing and seldom got in and mixed matters. The bout, which was the last and should have been the liveliest of the evening, proved a little tame as a fight.

Oran Snodgrass and Jimmy Arrousez battled six rounds to a good draw. This was their third meeting and ended as their former engagements. Both boys mixed things freely from the start and displayed all their accomplishments with freedom. Rough and clever work were mixed so that the bout proved a very interesting one. Snodgrass, as usual, proved the aggressor, while Arrousez retaliated with a straight left and plenty of cleverness. The boys have proven very popular and have been rematched to box at T-Bone Riley's Club in Los Angeles on Friday night.

One of the best mills of the evening was between Jack Clark of Los Angeles and Jack Hendricks of Orange. These boys combined heavy hitting and cleverness in a way that had the fans on their feet from the start. Both were rather tired when the end came. Round for round the bout was about even with probably a slight lead in favor of Hendricks in the second and Clark in the third.

Red Mathews of Anaheim surprised himself as well as his many friends by the scrap he made with Young Savel of Los Angeles. Mathews went into the ring with a degree of fear that he soon forgot, and the two boys mixed it so freely that it took a master of the game to keep tab on them. The bout ended in a draw, which was a very good decision.

## FULLERTON'S TEAM DEFEATS THE BEACH

HUNTINGTON BEACH, Dec. 17.—The high school basketball team was defeated in its game with Fullerton last Friday afternoon by the score of 26 to 16. The team was accompanied by a large number of rooters who returned much disappointed over the defeat. The game was a rather rough one, seventeen fouls being called on Fullerton and eight on Huntington by Referee Donohue. Owing to the rain the game was played on an indoor court, which doubtless had some effect on the score. The team is now anxious for the arrangement of the championship series, as they believe they can win out on an outdoor court.

## CONFLICTING DATES IN GOLF SCHEDULE

Los Angeles Times: After all the care that was bestowed upon it, one observes that there are several conflicting dates in the season's golf schedule by which some of our best players will be denied attendance at the invitation tournaments unless some change is arranged.

On the day of the Virginia invitation tournament, for instance—February 20—the Annandale team is scheduled to visit the Orange County Club at Balboa to play their league match.

Likewise on the date of the semi-finals of the Los Angeles invitation tournament, March 13, Annandale takes her team to the Virginia, Long Beach, which is rather unkindly, presupposing that neither an Annandale or a Virginia star will figure in the finals. Whereas it is more than possible that, say W. W. Campbell and A. A. French, two gentlemen who played notable golf at Del Monte, will stand a very good chance of that honor.

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## WALTER JOHNSON WILL ENTICE SHEKELS

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MARQUARD IS ANOTHER WHO WILL DRAW WELL

Fed Patrons Will Also Pay Just to See Bender and Plank in Action

By Hal Sheridan.

(Written for the United Press)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Many a shekel will be enticed into the Federal coffers through the drawing ability of Walter Johnson and Rube Marquard, provided, of course, the Washington and New York authorities are unsuccessful in their fight to get them back.

Walter Johnson undoubtedly is one of the greatest drawing cards that ever donned a baseball suit. He has proven as great in this respect as Cobb, Lajoie, Wagner, Hal Chase and a few others that might be mentioned. Poor old Rube Waddell himself, with all his wonderful pitching ability and eccentricities on the field, was not a bigger magnet for money to the club owners than Walter Johnson has been for Washington.

The big Kansan virtually was responsible for bringing the Senators to life and the first division after they had been hibernating and decaying in last place for years. It was really the work of Walter Johnson that made Washington fans yell for a team that would come somewhere near fitting the work of the great twirler. It was like the old joke of getting a shirt to sew on a button; but that's what was actually done at Washington. And it was Walter who was the cause of it all. He was worth every cent they paid him in the matter of bringing fans with their half-dollars to the box office.

Rube Marquard isn't now and never was so good a drawing card as Johnson, but he has always been powerful popular with the fans. If Marquard had been in anything like his form of 1912 the Giants and not the Braves might have played the Athletics in the post-season series last fall.

The Rube's popularity is not to be pooh-poohed; he is one of the most talked of twirlers in the game, owing in part to such stunts as his nineteen straight victories and the 21-inning contest he won in Pittsburgh last season from Babe Adams. If he returns to form in 1915, he, as well as Johnson, will earn his keep.

Two other drawing cards who undoubtedly will help swell Federal league box office receipts will be Chief Bender and Eddie Plank. The argument will be raised that both are has-beens, or, at least, that neither has much more of the old stuff left. This may be true, but they will play in towns that have never seen a big league team in action or that may never have seen the only Bender and the only Plank. If each wins only half his games it will not make much difference. There'll still be hundreds of fans who will pass through the Federal counting stiles just to see either in action.

It would be a little difficult to decide whether roller skating comes under the head of sport or pleasure, or both; at any rate the carnival now in progress at Madison Square Garden is furnishing some keen competition and some fun as well.

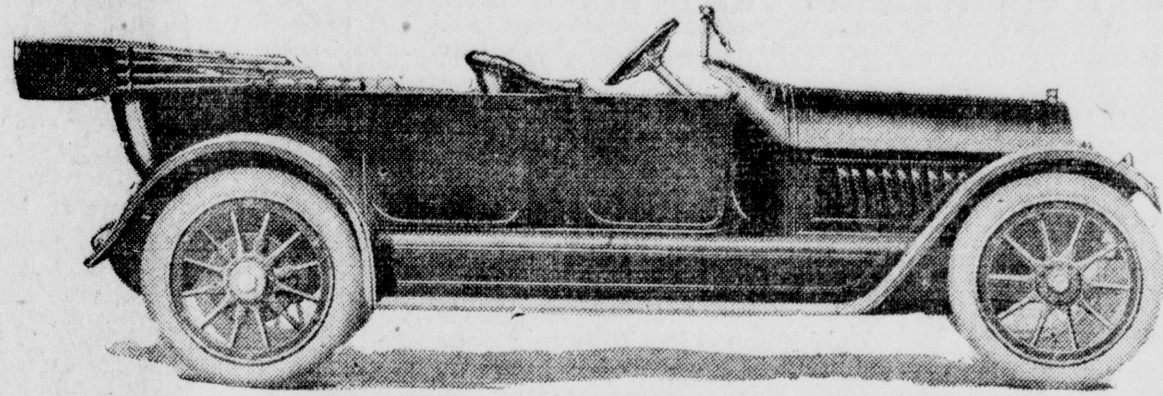
The present carnival, which will last for three days, is a revival for roller skating in this city. There was a time several years ago when it was considered quite the thing to skate, and well-appointed rinks came into existence all over the country. For some reason or other, however, the rinks closed down after a year or two of amazing prosperity, and movie houses and maxie palaces have succeeded them.

Amusement men in Manhattan are watching, therefore, with keen interest the success of the Garden venture. And the management of the latter has gone to considerable expense to make an attractive background—or footground, if you will—for the skaters. A specially prepared track with long flat stretches and high banks was put up recently for the comfort and as an encouragement for greater speed for the racers in the twenty-four hour race. Excellent living quarters were erected by the side of the track, with kitchens and snug sleeping bunkers.

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Each dealer who handles the Maxwell cars will be given an opportunity to have this series of films in his home city, and the expense will be divided between the dealer and the company, so that there will be no charge for tickets at the door. Admission will be by invitation and these can be obtained from the dealer.

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Another body of men have been following the cars in races, in hill climbing contests and in the most beautiful scenic spots to be found in the Rockies, the Cascades and in California's world-famous hills and valleys.

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# A Potpourri of News and Views

(From Los Angeles Financial News.)

## Mining Industry in California

California mining properties are again being sought for and in this Golden State prospects are being developed and mines opened up that are astonishing old timers in the mining industry. Five miles southwest of the town of Mojave in Kern County is the Woollacott mine, owned solely by A. H. Woollacott of Los Angeles, a discovery has been made, a vein six feet in width has been traced 265 feet. On the surface Mr. Woollacott picked up a piece of quartz which had been leached showing gold values of \$57.00 to the ton, which indicates that the formation and dip of vein matter in the property, is the same as in the old and well known Queen Esther and Karman mines, which adjoins Mr. Woollacott's property, and from which fortunes have been taken.

Mr. Woollacott's mine was discovered in 1900 and comprises seven full mining claims. But little work was done on the property until 1910 when he began developing the mine, and started work on a tunnel which has been run a distance of 900 feet. There are also several cross cuts and winzes at different distances to prospect. At the end of the 900 feet of work an upraise is being run to connect the workings.

The property is owned as said exclusively by Mr. Woollacott. It is not a stock company, has not been incorporated and has no debts. At present two shifts of 5 men each are at work. A test mill was erected and proposals are now being received for the erection of a 50-ton mill with a cyanide plant.

P. D. Burt and J. H. Santo, lessees of the Pacific mine in Placerville have completed the installation of a five-stamp mill and have started work on \$20 ore.

Kern county's mineral resources are well shown in a collection of a ton of samples gathered from every mine in the county by H. B. Frank, a mining engineer, hired by the Bakersfield Board of Trade for the purpose. The ores, which comprise gold, silver, lead, copper, tungsten, iron, sulphur, lime, cinnabar and placer gravel, will be shown at the 1915 exposition in San Francisco.

Capitalists of Berkeley, San Francisco and other Coast cities have been in Mariposa county with a view to purchasing abandoned mines and again working them. They claim that more gold was left on the dumps of the old mines than was taken out. By scientific methods they hope to clean up all this gold. They also claim that the war in Europe will make the demand for gold greater than in years.

The Le Duc mine, near Grass Valley, which is being developed by Grass Valley and San Francisco men, is showing specimens of quartz which assay from \$12 to \$50 per ton. Over 3000 feet of tunnel has been driven and a vast amount of other development work done.

The new system of placer mining recently introduced in the Spencerville district in Nevada county by San Diego men is giving good returns. Through its use it is believed that scores of old dumps, heretofore considered worthless, will become valuable.

Forty-six men are employed in the asbestos mining camp, eighteen miles northeast of Carrville, Trinity county. The camp has become a little village, containing a large bunk house, boarding house, quartz mill, sawmill, cottages and other buildings. The mining of asbestos has been begun, but there will be no manufactured product ready for shipment until next spring. The company is constructing a wagon road to Castella, Shasta county, the nearest railroad point. It will be twenty miles in length and will cost \$45,000.

The Sierra Buttes mine at Sierra has been in operation almost continuously since 1850, reports strikes of unusual richness recently. The Sierra Buttes started reducing ore in 1851 by the old Mexican arrastra process. Its ore has always been considered rather low grade, but, according to authentic reports, a pay shoot has now been discovered which shows free gold in abundance. The mine has long since had a modern plant.

## Municipal Bonds Advancing

There is a good demand for municipal and school district bonds. William R. Staats Company report active sales of three municipal issues ranging in yield from 4.75 to 5.15. They include \$199,000 San Mateo County highway 5s, maturing from 1917 to 1942, at prices ranging from 100.60 to 103.82, all to yield 4.75; \$75,000 San Fernando High School district 4 1/2s, maturing from 1920 to 1954, at prices ranging from 102.04 to 106.80, all to yield 5.10; \$37,000 Redondo High School district 5 1/2s, maturing from 1917 to 1944, at prices ranging from 100.80 to 105.24, all to yield 5.15 per cent.

## Rediscount Rates Reduced

The Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco has made a reduction in the rediscount rate of the bank from 6 and 6 1/2 per cent, a rate that virtually prohibited any rediscount business, to 5 1/2 and 6 per cent. The order follows:

"With the approval of the Federal Reserve Board the rediscount rates of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco have been reduced to 5 1/2 per cent for maturities of thirty days or less, and 6 per cent for longer maturities."

This reduction indicates an easier condition in the money market.

## Securities Dropped From List

San Francisco Stock and Bond Exchange has dropped the following securities from the official list:

Bonds—Long Beach Consolidated Gas 6s; Midland Counties Gas and Electric 6s; Natamas Consolidated of California 6s; San Francisco, Napa and Calistoga Railway 5s; Santa Barbara Gas and Electric 6s. Stocks—Pacific Coast Casualty Company; Pacific Coast Borax, common and preferred; Union Oil; Union Provident Oil; United Petroleum Company.

## One City Buys for Cash

Tuesday last the city of Kenosha, Wisconsin, began paying cash for all its supplies and will avail itself of the ordinary discounts given manufacturers and dealers who pay money down for supplies. The city expects to save \$10,000 annually by the new plan and it is also a practical lesson for the residents of the city in thrift.

## Prosperity Shown By Postal Receipts

Los Angeles postoffice in November sold \$8,279.23 more postage stamps than in the same month in 1913, an increase of 4.98 per cent. Sales for November, 1914, amounted to \$174,782.32 compared with \$166,563.09 in November, 1913.

## Utah Copper Earnings

Net profits of the Utah Copper Company on a basis of 12.80 cents for the product, for the third quarter of the current year, were \$1,312,738 just exceeding dividend requirements. The dividends paid in the third quarter are stated in the quarterly report to have amounted to \$1,218,367 as compared with \$1,201,710 in the second quarter. The net surplus for the quarter amounts to \$94,371.01, as compared with \$1,617,394.41 in the preceding quarter. The total amount of copper on hand and in transit, sold and unsold, at the end of the quarter, was 50,118,797 pounds, as compared with 46,704,098 pounds at the end of the second quarter.

The report says the average cost per pound of net copper produced during the quarter after allowing for smelter deductions and without crediting miscellaneous income, was 7.76 cents as compared with 7.539 cents for the second quarter. If the net miscellaneous earnings in Utah, including those from the Bingham & Garfield railway were credited to the cost of operations the net cost per pound for the quarter would be 6.951 cents.

## Public Land in California

In the annual report of the California State Board of Agriculture just issued, it is stated that there are 20,853,637 acres of public lands in the State of which 15,633,304 is surveyed and 5,220,333 is unsurveyed. One-third of the total acreage is in San Bernardino County mostly desert land. Inyo County has 3,797,790 acres so that more than half of the total acreage is in Southern California. Here is the acreage for the Southern part of the State, counties having over 50,000 acres being named.

County	Acreage
Imperial	91,650
Kern	780,190
Los Angeles	717,383
Riverside	1,767,649
San Bernardino	7,128,094
San Diego	420,170
San Luis Obispo	227,157
Ventura	109,048

Total 11,189,341  
There are six counties that have no vacant public lands, viz., Marin, Sacramento, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Cruz, and Sutter.

## Banking By Mechanism

The system of accounting being used by the Federal Reserve banks throughout the country was devised by two New York bankers, Harry E. Ward, vice-president of the Irving National Bank and Charles C. Robinson, auditor of the same institution. A distinctive feature of the system is that it rests almost entirely upon a mechanical basis, machinery being used to a degree without precedent so that accuracy be secured with the least possible effort in compiling valuable statistics which the Reserve banks transmit daily to the Federal Reserve Board in Washington so as to keep it in constant touch with conditions in each of the several reserve centers.

## Standard Brings a Gusher

Spouting oil at the rate of 7000 barrels per day and a by product of 6,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day, the Standard Oil Company on Saturday last brought in No. 12 well on the Emory lease in the Whittier fields just East of the city of Whittier. This well is within 500 feet of No. 7 well which was brought in more than one year ago and which is now producing 3500 barrels per day. No. 12 is 3565 feet deep and No. 7 3430 feet. Drillers are putting down five more wells near these great gushers.

## Deposits With Public Utilities

An investigation has begun by the State Railroad Commission, on its own initiative, into the practice of gas, light and water companies of demanding deposits from their customers before they will install meters or make extensions. The companies maintain that to take away their right of deposits would inflict confiscation without granting compensation.

## Sales of Delinquent Stock

Los Angeles to Venice Company stock, delinquent on assessment of one-half cent per share, which was to have been sold November 14, has been given an extension until December 14. Stock delinquent on that date will be sold at the office of the company 722 Title Insurance Building. California-Nevada Exploration Company, 39 South Raymond Avenue, Pasadena. Stock delinquent on assessment levied October 9, will be sold at the Company's office December 10 at 2 p. m.

## Millions for Grain Crop

Farmers of the Northwest have had an unusually prosperous year, in fact the most prosperous in history, for when the curtain drops on December 31, they will, according to conservative estimates, have received millions for their crop. In the Portland district sales of grain and flour will aggregate more than \$13,000,000. The total foreign sales of wheat alone in the district will approximate \$7,500,000.

## State Bank of Owensmouth

On Monday last the State Bank of Owensmouth opened its doors to the public for the transaction of a general banking business. The authorized capital stock of the bank is \$50,000, of which \$40,000 has been subscribed and paid in. The officers are President, Ross E. Whitley; vice-presidents, M. H. Sherman, H. J. Whitley, A. I. Smith and O. J. Wigdal; cashier R. S. Padgett; assistant cashier, R. J. Wigdal.

## Buys Walker-Brand Oil Co.

An agreement of sale from the Walker-Brand Oil Company to the Providential Oil Company of a leasehold interest in lots 5 and 6, Tuffree's subdivision, near Placentia, and personal property, has been recorded in Orange County. The consideration is \$69,000.

## Pig Iron Production

Production of pig iron in the United States for the current year is estimated at 23,500,000 tons. This is the smallest production with the exception of 1908 since 1906.

## Royal-Dutch-Shell Combine

Twenty million dollars is said to be the sum that the Royal-Dutch-Shell combination has invested in California and its present oil production in the State is placed at 22,000 barrels per day.



**BEHIND** the humor in this drawing we can read a little MORAL. Many folks are as SOFT as the snow man when the SUN of PROSPERITY beams down on them. They hold up a thin umbrella of GOOD INTENTIONS and cry: "See; we are playing safe. We're not spending more than we make." But the cloud SUDDENLY hides the sun. They are left a shapeless, melted mass. Then they are SORRY they didn't contract a steady, thorough BANKING HABIT.

## First National Bank

OF SANTA ANA  
with which is affiliated the

## Santa Ana Savings Bank

## The Registers' Directory

OF AUTOMOBILES, GARAGES AND ACCESSORIES

**AUBURN** "THE MOST FOR THE MONEY." KELLOGG'S GARAGE  
209-211 North Main Phone 34

**BUICK** VALVE-IN-HEAD MOTOR CAR  
**ORANGE COUNTY GARAGE CO**  
455-497 East Fourth St. Santa Ana.

**COLE** "The Standard Car" WISDOM & COMPANY  
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**CHALMERS** AND DETROITER MOTOR CARS  
Waffle & West Garage, 417 W. 4th St.

**ELECTRIC** Everything Electrical for Autos. We install storage batteries, electric lighting and starting systems and do recharging.  
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"Wise men buy Fords and put balance in the bank."  
Cars sold on easy payments.  
Roadster \$440. Touring Car \$490. F. O. B. Detroit, Mich.  
**FORD SALES AND SERVICE CO.** Cor. Sixth and Main, Santa Ana, Calif.

**Guarantee Garage** AND MACHINE WORKS. Auto Rebuilding and Repairing and Heavy Machine Work. F. G. Kimball, Cor. Second and Bush.

**Hoosier** VULCANIZING WORKS. Guaranteed Scientific Vulcanizing. Best equipment for retreading tires on the Pacific Coast.  
Opp. Postoffice. 305 North Sycamore St. Phone 187

**HIGH-GRADE OIL-TEMPERED SPRINGS** Automobile forging general blacksmithing.  
**TOWNER & HARTLEY**, 415 North Sycamore St.

**HUPMOBILE** "The Car of the American Family"  
**HARPER MOTOR CAR CO.**  
Next to City Hall.

**MAXWELL** Real Automobile for \$795 f. o. b. here. Electric Lights and Self Starter \$55.00 extra.  
BEGG & ALLEN  
417 North Broadway. Phone Sunset 894.

**OAKLAND** L. Clark, Agent. W. R. Phelps, Repairman.  
OAKLAND CAR AGENCY  
Opposite City Hall. Sunset 61.  
Home 139.

**Springs made to order** LIBBY MOTOR CO.  
Cor. Fifth and Broadway.  
Garage and Repairing. Forging Open nights & Sundays.

**Vulcanizing 25c** Vulcanized patches on tubes, punctures and small cuts. Other prices accordingly.  
ROBT. GERWING.  
212 N. Broadway. Santa Ana, Cal.

**HOTELS, APARTMENTS, ROOMING HOUSES**

**ALLERTON HOTEL** The only hotel in town run on American plan. All rates reasonable. Weekly rates. Auto service from hotel. Sunset 695. 4th and French.

**MEYER** APARTMENTS AND ROOMS  
Everything new and first class.  
Close in. Cor. Third and Spurgeon.  
Sunset 1192. Home 445.

## Have Your Portrait Made in Your Own Home

This is the latest fad in photo making. I come to your home, make your photo amid your home surroundings and finish them at my studio.

HOLIDAY SEASON IS FAST APPROACHING.  
HAVE YOUR HOLIDAY PHOTOS MADE NOW.

## Rozell's Orange Studio

Orange, Cal. Phone 114. Chas. Rozell, Prop.

## Write to Your Friends in the East

and tell them that CALIFORNIA'S TWO GREAT 1915 EXPOSITIONS at San Francisco and San Diego will open on schedule time

There will be NO POSTPONEMENT on account of the European war or for any other reason. Ask each of them to mail a postal to Some One Else, and the Mail Man will spread the news

## OPENING DATES AND DURATION OF EXPOSITIONS:

Panama-Pacific International Exposition of San Francisco  
February 20 to December 4, 1915

Panama-California Exposition at San Diego  
January 1 to December 31, 1915

Here are some convincing facts concerning the great Exposition at San Francisco. Not one of the 42 exhibiting foreign nations has withdrawn, while three of them have increased their participation. Seven nations involved in war and five neutral European nations will have their own buildings. Exhibits from eleven foreign countries have already arrived. Forty-three of our states and one city are making individual exhibits. Finally, these exhibitors are spending more money than previously expended in any two other expositions.

EXPOSITION LETTER DAY—DECEMBER 15TH

## SOUTHERN PACIFIC

The Exposition Line—1915—First in Safety

## Griffith Lumber Co.

carry a complete line of

## Asbestos Roofing

Also Millwork, Cement, Beaver Board, Lumber, Etc.



## Southern Pacific Route

Pullman Drawing Room Sleeping Cars  
Compartments, Observation Cars with  
Ladies' Parlor and Library.  
Modern Tourist Sleeping Cars  
Unexcelled Dining Car Service.

(Three Trains Daily)

To Chicago and East via San Francisco.  
Ogden and Omaha direct or Salt Lake City and Denver.  
Crossing The Beautiful Sierra Nevada and the Great Salt Lake.

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To New Orleans and East via El Paso, San Antonio and Houston—Through Southern California, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and Louisiana.  
Connections at New Orleans with fast trains East, also Southern Pacific steamers for New York.

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To Chicago and East via Tucson, El Paso and Kansas City.  
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To Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and East through the Sacramento Canyon, across the beautiful Siskiyou Mountains.

Mts. Shasta, Pitt, Jefferson, Hood and Rainier seen from car window.

Southern Pacific Luxurious 10,600 ton Steamers sailing from New Orleans to New York Wednesdays and Saturdays. Five delightful days of ocean travel.

Any Southern Pacific agent will gladly make reservations, sell tickets and help plan your trip.

L. B. VALLA, Commercial Agent.  
H. J. WASSERMAN, Agent.  
Both Fones 19. Santa Ana.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC  
Exposition Line—1915.

## Southland's Gala Day

America's Greatest Floral Pageant

PASADENA New Year Day  
FRIDAY JAN. 1

FLORAL PARADE 10:30 A. M.

Gorgeously Decorated Floats and Conveyances  
Thrilling Chariot Races

Southern California's Athletic Meet  
Greatest Annual Event—Biggest of Features

Extra three-car trains will leave Santa Ana 6:45 and 7 a. m. Returning, leave P. E.-S. P. station, Pasadena 5:30 p. m.

PACIFIC ELECTRIC RAILWAY

## HOTELS FOR HEALTH OR PLEASURE RESORTS

LOST—RHEUMATISM AND STOMACH TROUBLES. FOUND—HEALTH AND HAPPINESS AT MURRIETA HOT SPRINGS, MURRIETA, CAL. America's finest Sulphur and Mud Baths and Swimming Pool. Booklet at information Bureau, or by writing, Frits Guenther, Prop. H. Guenther, Manager.



# The Register's Clearing House for Big Bargains

## THE MARKETS

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Eleven cars hauled sold. Market unchanged. Weather fair and cold.

NAVELS	Ave.
Lotta	2.20
Earliest, C.C. Lemmonville	2.45
Egnaro, C.C. Lindsay	2.45
Sans Segal, C.C. Lindsay	2.45
Mt. Whitney, T.C. Success	2.60
Exeter, Imp., C.C. Exeter	2.70
Exeter, C.C. Exeter	2.50

Boston Market  
BOSTON, Dec. 16.—Nine cars oranges, two cars lemons sold. Clear and cold. Market unchanged.

NAVELS	Ave.
Niagara, Stewart Ft. Co.	\$2.00
Maljan Blue	1.95
E. Highland, A.A. E. High. C.A.	1.80
Maljan Red	1.80
Chandeleer, E. High. C.A.	1.75

LEMONS  
Rey, S.T. Fernando

Canna, S.B. J. Spur

Cosmos

LOS ANGELES PRODUCE MARKET

A few changes were reported in the vegetable market. Lettuce has been very plentiful, and of no extra good quality, so that the price is now at 75 cents a crate. Cabbage is selling at the same figure per sack. Peppers have gone up, these selling from 5 to 6 on bell, and 5 cents on chile pepper. Okra is entirely out of the market. Rhubarb is sufficient to supply all call, and remains stationary.

On the market of staples the call is only normal, and there were no changes reported here. In the north eggs advanced 1 cent per dozen. Receipts of this product were 132 cases. Butter arrivals were 29,160 pounds, and cheese 6660 pounds.

## NOTICE OF SALE BY REFEREE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Orange.

Mary F. Schilling, Plaintiff,

vs.

Robert Evans, Frank Shearer, as guardians of the persons and estates of Ralph and Earl Shearer, minors; Nettie H. Wallace, as guardian of the person and estate of Raymond Wallace, minor; Carrie Hoffman, Charles Wallace and Margaret Wallace, Defendants.

Notice is hereby given, that under and by virtue of an Interlocutory Judgment, issued out of the above entitled court in the above entitled cause whereby the undersigned was appointed sole referee for the purpose of making sale of the property hereinafter described in accordance with the provision of said Interlocutory Judgment, a copy of which was, on the 12th day of December, 1914, filed in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Orange, and to which is hereby made reference, for particulars, I will sell the property hereinafter described at the Court House in the City of Santa Ana, County of Orange, State of California, on Monday, the 4th day of January, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day to the highest bidder for cash, lawful money of the United States.

The property hereinabove referred to and which will be sold in accordance with this notice is described as follows, to-wit:

Being in the Rancho Santiago de Santa Ana, County of Orange, State of California, and described as commencing at a point on the South line of Section Twenty-one (21), Township Four (4) South, Range Nine (9) West, S. B. & M., 40 chains East of the Southwest corner of said Section, which section corner is also the Southwest corner of the Leandro Serrano Tract, running thence North 50 minutes, thence East 23 minutes, thence South 23 minutes, thence West 23 minutes, containing 23.34 acres, being the South half of Lot No. 10 of the Leandro Serrano Tract, in said Rancho, as surveyed by E. R. Nichols on November 10th, 1873 and reference is made to the said survey for a full description of the map of said survey recorded in Book 13, page 452, of Mortgages, Records of Orange County, California.

Dated this 12th day of December, 1914.

D. N. KELLY, Sole Referee.

## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of Casper D. Shields, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the estate of Casper D. Shields, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice (which publication was first made on the 25th day of November, 1914), to the said Administrator at his office in the Opera House Block, in the City of Santa Ana, County of Orange, State of California, which office is hereby designated as the place for the presentation of claims against the said estate in the said County of Orange.

Dated this 25th day of November A. D. 1914.

CHARLES H. STANLEY, Administrator.

## FOR SALE—Automobiles

FOR SALE—Imperial "35" stripped roadster, a good touring car, body gone with it. \$300. Also 5 passenger, 40 h. p. Imperial in first class order. A bargain if taken at once. Call 217 Orange Ave., or Sunset Phone 623-W.

FOR SALE—Late 1913 5-passenger Ford, Department No. 1 of this Court, in the City of Santa Ana, County of Orange, State of California, has been appointed as the time and place for hearing the application of Reo C. Adams praying that a document now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last Will and Testament of the said deceased, be admitted to probate, that Letters Testamentary be issued thereon to him at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 14th, 1914.

W. B. WILLIAMS, County Clerk.

CHARLES H. STANLEY, E. T. LANGLEY, Attorneys for Petitioner.

## NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING YORBA LINDA WATER COMPANY

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Yorba Linda Water Company will be held at the office and principal place of business of the Company at Yorba Linda, Orange County, California, Monday, January 4, 1915, at 12 o'clock M. for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

C. H. SPAMANS, Secretary.

## FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

10 acres full bearing Valencia oranges in frostless section. Price \$22,500; mortgage \$6250. Will take some trade.

1166 acres 6 miles east of Benavites, Texas, and 1166 1/2 miles east of the other tract. Price \$10 per acre. A good 5 room cottage and two small houses, fenced and cross fenced. This is a good stock ranch and they will take any good property here.

20 acres near Uplands; 10 acres bearing peaches, 10 acres grapes. Price \$4000. Will take house and lot here.

Meat market, grocery store and confectionery store, and good 8 room modern house at Pomona to exchange for a ranch here.

Money to Loan. Notary Public. Fire Insurance.

## Wells & Warner

111 West Fourth St., Santa Ana.

Phones: 922; Home 72.

## For Sale—Livestock

FOR SALE—3 good young cows. All very gentle, at a bargain. Phone 43-J-2. Orange.

FOR SALE—A good driving mare cheap. 1212 North Broadway. Phone 228-W.

FOR SALE—Flemish Giant Rabbits at less than Belgian prices. Young does 5 months old, weigh about 7 lbs., \$2 each; will weigh 10 or 11 when full grown. These does are of a light color, consequently the low prices. Occasional Flemish Giants throw young which are as light colored as Belgians, so will sell at Belgian prices. Nevertheless they are thoroughbred, \$6 would not buy them if they were steel gray or black. Will breed free to Thoroughbred Black Buck if purchaser desires, but they are really too young to breed. Also have some black and steel gray young ones, 6 weeks old, at 75c each or 3 for \$2. Some young light colored stock, same age, 35c each; black buck, age 5 1/2 months, weighs 7 1/2 lbs., \$5. Call 1506 W. Fourth Street.

FOR SALE—Just arrived another mixed carload of big young horses and mules. These are all fine young animals and will be sold at right prices. Call M. McCain, cor. Second and Main Sts.

FOR SALE—One span young mares, six and seven years old, 1100 lbs., also weaned colts, 1000 lbs., R. R. Webb, R. D. 3, Box 23, Santa Ana.

FOR SALE—A team of 3 year olds, weight 2800 lbs., well broke, on English street, north from Hickey, first house west. Tom Hong.

FOR SALE—Two work horses, cheap. 303 North Sycamore.

JUST ARRIVED, 28 head of the best mules ever shipped to Santa Ana. All young and gentle. Will be sold under a positive guarantee. Prices reasonable. D. W. Sturgeon, 129 Spurgeon St.

FOR SALE—Just arrived a carload of horses and mules. Horses weighing 1000 to 1200 pounds, 35 head of mules weighing from 1000 to 1500. All kinds of work horses and seven farm wagons good as new. H. E. Johnson Cor. Second and Broadway. Phone 523.

FOR SALE—Young Flemish Giant Rabbits \$25 each. See them at 1506 W. Fourth Street.

FOR SALE—Two good Jersey milk cows. H. E. Johnson, Second and Broadway. Phone 523.

FOR SALE CHEAP—If taken soon, large young work mule. H. J. Stevens, corner Second and Spurgeon. Both phones 133.

FOR SALE—Five heifer calves, 3 coming yearlings, one 6 months, and one 2 months. Phone 333-W.

FOR SALE—Young Flemish Giant Rabbits, 75c each or three for \$2.00. 1506 West Fourth St.

FOR SALE—Good driving horse. Gentle. H. J. Gerken, R. D. 1, Box 68, Santa Ana. Phone 429-W.

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10 acres fine Valencia; \$1500.

10 acres in oranges. Want city property.

5 acres in walnuts. Want city property.

10 acres good beet or alfalfa land. Price, \$2750.

16 acres in fine Valencias, at a bargain.

\$5000 to loan.

## L. J. Carden Realty Company

307 North Main Street

## FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

For Sale—4 room cottage; lot 50x150 to alley; all kinds of fruit; \$800.

5 acres walnuts, close-in; take house.

9 acres walnuts. Take house; \$9000.

5 acres Valencias, 4 years old. Take house.

10 acres Valencias, 3 years old. Take house.

4 acres Valencias, 6 years and 3 and 1 year old. Take house.

3 acres vacant land. Take house.

10 acres vacant land. Take house \$3700.

MRS. GEO. PICKERING

1417 Bush 1312W Home 4398

## For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Special staple articles of groceries at special reduced prices. This sale at both our stores. New store at 311 North Main St., and old stand at Fourth and Main Sts.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Household furniture, carpets, rugs, gas plate, coal of stove. 825 East Fourth St. Phone 399W.

FOR SALE—Motorcycle, tandem, fully equipped, good as new, cheap. Mr. R. R. R.

FOR SALE—An almost new piano for half price. For cash or will give terms. Phone 357W.

FOR SALE—Light delivery wagon in good condition. 1212 North Broadway. Phone 228-W.

FOR SALE—Lady's Columbia chainless spring frame bicycle, splendid condition. 5000 lbs. 48 inch wheels. Santa Ana. Phone 323-J.

FOR SALE—Apricot and peach wood \$2.00 per tier at ranch. Will deliver very reasonable. W. S. Suddaby, Phone 751-W-2.

FOR SALE—Dry good wood, split or blocked, delivered or on ground. D. E. Cozad. Sunset 26-J2, Garden Grove.

FOR SALE—Wagon and rack, nearly new 45 inch Skeels, also second hand surrey. Mrs. Alice Fewell, Second St., Tustin.

FOR SALE—Watermelons to feed to stock, cheap. A good driving horse cheap. Phone 429W-3.

SANTA ANA JUNK DEALERS—For sale, sacks any amount. We buy rubbers, metals and stocks of all kinds. Phone Sunset 138. 415 East Fourth St.

365 EGGS YEAR EACH HEN—Guaranteed. Feeding chick, home-made stock. Full instructions, \$1, or set 25c stamps, coin, cover postage for strictly fresh packed eggs. Reasonable enough for 2 months feeding your un-laying hens, fully convincing you before sending. J. J. Diester, 2237 First Ave. So. Seattle, Wash.

FOR SALE—White sweet potatoes, \$1.00 per sack; yellow sweet potatoes, 50c per sack delivered. C. W. Morris. R. D. 2, Phone Home 924, Garden Grove Exchange.

FOR SALE—1000 choice White Leghorn pullets, one year old. 1225 West Third Street.

## For Sale—Nursery Stock

FOR SALE—1000 first class walnut trees. Placencia Perfection on Eastern black root. 6 to 12 feet high. O. T. Johnson, 2036 North Broadway.

ROSE BUSHES—Home grown fruit trees, large assortment, of Royal apricots, cling and freestone peaches, pears, apples, figs, grapes, etc., grafted walnuts, oranges, lemons and grapefruit trees. Trees guaranteed true to name. Send in your orders now and get first choice. Sunset 1177-J.

FOR SALE—Fine grafted Placencia walnut trees. Prices lowest. If you haven't the money your note is good. See me Geo. Lehman, R. D. 7, Santa Ana. On mile southeast Tustin.

FOR SALE—First class nursery stock grafted. Placencia Perfection walnut trees, European and Valencia orange trees. H. W. Rohrs, 335 East Santa Clara Ave. Phone 7141.

FOR SALE—NURSERY STOCK—I have 1500 Valencia nursery stock 2 year blads fine trees, at a bargain for the lot. Address L. Box 57, Register office.

FOR SALE—1500 choice Placencia Perfection grafted walnut trees. See W. T. Kirven at Hill & Carden Clothing store.

## NURSERY STOCK

I sell Valencia prime nursery stock, any quantity, at 35c; balled and delivered. Robert, 322 N. Broadway. Phone 475-J or 765-J.

## Business Notices

RADIATOR REPAIR SHOP—All kinds of sheet metal repairs done. Radiators, lamps, radiators, fenders, stoves, patent models, etc. 417 North Broadway, near Maxwell agency. Geo. Wood.

C. A. KINGSTON INSURANCE AGENCY Compensation, Fire, Accident, Bonds, Plate Glass, Etc. Companies represented are A-1 only. Your patronage solicited. Room 11, Rowley Bldg., Santa Ana.

ELECTRIC HORSE CLIPPING—Bodies, 75c; clipped all over \$1.00. Nine years experience. W. J. McCardie, Sullivan St. Phone 4933.

ELECTRIC HORSE CLIPPING—Price 75c and \$1.00. Open Sundays by appointment. W. J. McCardie, Fourth house south of First on Sullivan. Phone 4933.

FURNITURE REPAIRING—New and second hand furniture repaired and varnished. Mirrors re-silvered. Picture frames made. F. G. Johnson. 110 East Fifth.

HARNESS AND IMPLEMENTS—Wm. F. Lutz Co., 219 East Fourth St. Both Phones 10.

AUTOMOBILES—Wm. F. Lutz Co., Studebaker and Buick. Phone Pacific 10 Home 15.

## Miscellaneous Ads.

NOTICE—A dead wagon and burning ground for dead animals, \$3.00 per head. W. J. McCardie. 493-J-3.

NOTICE—To Real Estate Agents, My property at 1402 Cypress has been sold. A. P. Humphrey.

## The Japanese Government

## Appreciates Southern

## California Lands

A good many people wonder why the Japanese government feels so badly because their people cannot buy land in this state, when some of our own citizens go up and down the country with money and don't buy even though orange and lemon land can be bought today within 35 miles of Santa Ana, at prices which prevailed in the citrus belt of Orange county 20 years ago, namely \$350 per acre, including water stock; fact is the alert Jap being quick to grasp opportunities, can see great possibilities in our soil, climate and water; such is the case at La Sierra Heights, which is located in the midst of the greatest commercial citrus belt in the world. However, the local agents, Maury & McDuffie are having a great inquiry regarding this property, and expect to dispose of a large number of five and ten acre tracts before the advance in price, which will happen on March 1st, 1915. Those interested should visit the local office, 315 North Main street, at their earliest convenience where full information, data, etc. will be cheerfully furnished free of cost, and where arrangements can be made for trips to this tract which has the three most important factors, namely: land, water and climate.

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From Santa Ana over the new canyon road, via Corona, Riverside, Redlands, to Yucaipa, great sight-seeing trip. Up in the morning, back in the evening, or stay over night if you desire. See the beautiful Yucaipa valley and the 5000 acre development and then you will understand why this valley is such a great fruit growing section. See the best land and water now on the market in Southern California. Phone 161 or call

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WANTED—You to attend the special sale at the Santa Ana Produce Co.'s two stores this week. Big reduction on many staple articles of groceries. Santa Ana Produce Co., 311 North Main St., and corner Fourth and Main Sts.

THE SALVATION ARMY is very much in need of cast off clothes and shoes for men, women and children. Notify Capt. Woodside, 216 Spurgeon. Phone 659-J.

WANTED—Ladies' tailoring by man tailor. Ladies' suits to order, alterations and remodeling. Chas. Land, 396 Bush St.

WANTED—Few milk customers. Pint \$1.15 per month; quart \$2.25. At ranch, 1515 C street.

WANTED—Orders for holly. Prices reasonable. Phone 935-J, or 1896-J.

WANTED—60 fence posts, 400 lbs. barb wire, 2 1/2 inch wagon, good saddle. Phone 228-W.

WANTED—Some one to buy a house on the installment plan. Will build to suit. Ashby Turner, 319 North Main St., Santa Ana.

WANTED—Second hand automobile for \$4000 in two lots at Huntington Beach. Box 264 Huntington Beach.

WANTED—Second hand light express or spring wagon, at 412 East Fourth St. Fred Siefert.

DRESSMAKING—By day or otherwise, by first class dressmaker. Mrs. John Barnett, 1233 West Fourth. Phone 265-W.

WANTED—House to move onto my lot. Address W. Box 52, Register office.

WANTED—Vacuum cleaning, first class work guaranteed. I have the best machine in town. Price 50c per hour. F. J. Barnes. Phone 228-W.

WANTED—About 500 loads of gravel. Call at Polytechnic Villa Co.'s office, 109 East Third St.

WANTED—If you want your garden planted, your lawn graded, trees pruned, call at 816 Brown street, or phone Pacific 1807-J.

WANTED—Washing, ironing, sweeping and cleaning by hour. Mrs. Mallory, Sunset 56J.

WANTED—Your magazines to bind, 1914 volumes now complete. They make beautiful, interesting and very valuable volumes for your library, and the cost is very little. Register Book Bindery, Third and Sycamore streets, Santa Ana.

CASH PAID for feather beds. Write 3917 South Main, Los Angeles. Will call.

WANTED—I make this urgent call for clothing of all kinds for the poor; men, women and children. Bring them if you can, to 623 1/2 North Ave. Phone 2183. Mrs. E. C. Collins, Deaconess of Nazareth Church.

SACKS WANTED—10,000 sacks at 4c each, at once. Santa Ana Junk Dealers. Phone Sunset 138. 415 East Fourth St.

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WANTED—Walnut meats and cull walnuts. New only. 308 Bush St. F. Mitchell & Son.

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# Motorcycle Races

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on New Years Day. Races Start at 2 p. m.

THERE NEVER BEFORE HAS BEEN A CHANCE TO SEE FOUR OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST RIDERS TOGETHER ON ONE TRACK.

FIRST—RAY CREVISTON, holder of the one mile dirt track record made in 1914 at St. Louis; 1 mile in 43 1-5 seconds on 8-valve Indian.

SECOND—CARL GOWDY, National 25 mile F. A. M. Champion in 1914 on an Excelsior.

THIRD—DON JOHNS on his famous Cyclone made by the Thiem people, the fastest thing on two wheels. Made 1 mile on the boards, 3 lap track in 33 2-5 seconds. 5 miles on dirt track in 3 minutes 47 seconds flat.

FOURTH—M. J. GRAVES, present holder of track record at Santa Ana, made in 50 2-5 seconds on a Merkle. He is now riding an 8-valve Indian. All of these record breaking machines and riders will compete in these races and have signed contracts. Besides these world's champions we have many other racers to ride in these races, such as Peyton Burke of Pomona riding Excelsior; F. W. Ludlow of Los Angeles riding an Indian; A. Walters of Los Angeles and many others all capable of great speed and sure to give some of our 1914 champions the race of their lives.

FIRST RACE—There will be a 9 mile matched race between Don John and Martie Graves in 3 heats.

SECOND RACE—Martie Graves, Don Johns, Carl Gowdy and Ray Creviston will go for track record of 50 2-5, which is sure to go.

THIRD RACE—10 mile open event.

FOURTH RACE—10 mile stripped stock machines.

FIFTH RACE—25 mile open event.

SIXTH RACE—50 mile Free-for-All.

HELD UNDER F. A. M. SANCTION. PAUL J. C. DERKUM, BETTER KNOWN AS DARE DEVIL DERKUM WILL ACT AS REFEREE AND DIRECTOR OF THESE CONTESTS. NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR AUTO PARKING. ADMISSION 50 CENTS.

## TUFTS-LYONS MEET MOOSE HERE SUNDAY

Fast Game Is Promised; Wall-smith to Pitch Against Abbott of Locals

What promises to be one of the liveliest games of baseball seen here in quite some time will develop Sunday when the Tufts-Lyons ball club of Los Angeles meets the Santa Ana Moose team at Moose Park. The Tufts-Lyons aggregation has a particularly good reputation among the semi-pro teams of the south, and Pitcher Abbott of the Stags, with the others of the team, will undoubtedly have his hands full Sunday.

Wallsmith, of the invading team, is one of the better known hurlers of Los Angeles. First Baseman Byram and Center Fielder McAleer are also well known in and about the Angel City.

Although the locals have gone down to defeat in the last two games played,

ed, being whitewashed by the Harris & Franks by a 4 to 0 score, and losing last Sunday to the Tigers, 4 to 2, these defeats are in no wise chargeable to a shot-to-pieces club, but simply to the fact that the Stags were very unfortunate in their selection of the times in which to get hits.

The line-up and batting order of the two teams follows:

Moose—Seungstock, lf; Brown, 2b; G. Callan, 3b; Stevens, c; Leake, 1b; B. Callan, rf; Freeman, cf; Duhart, ss; Abbott, p; McGaffey, sub.  
Tufts-Lyons—Riley, 3b; Haley, 2b; McAleer, cf; Tufts, ss; Byram, 1b; Myers, lf; Springman, rf; Finley, cf; Wallsmith, p.

### NEW SUPPLY STATION FOR DIAMOND TIRES

C. I. Dockstader has opened a new branch supply station for Diamond tires, tubes and tire accessories in the Rossmore hotel building at 205 West Fourth street. A full stock of all Diamond products for the automobile will be kept on hand at all times and special attention will be given to popularizing the new Diamond non-skid tires recently placed on the market under the name of Diamond Squeezers. Diamond red tubes is another of their specialties.

W. A. Willey, formerly of Long Beach is manager of the new branch station.

—Dr. J. W. Shaul, 417 Hollingsworth Bldg., Los Angeles, in Santa Ana office Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, 1 until 7:30 p. m. Eye, ear, nose, throat and fitting glasses.

Wingood's Drug Store for Gifts.

## AUTOISTS! 1915 PLATES INVALID UNTIL JAN. 1

\* Attention, autoists!  
\* Keep your new number plates  
\* until the first of the year.  
\* The police will get you if you  
\* use the 1915 number plates be-  
\* fore January 1, 1915.  
\* The 1914 license plates are  
\* the only ones recognized by the  
\* police until New Year.  
\* City Prosecutor McKeeby has  
\* declared that the police report  
\* several autoists using the new  
\* numbers on their machines. The  
\* prosecutor says that complaints  
\* will be issued if the practice of  
\* using the 1915 numbers does not  
\* cease immediately.—Los Ange-  
\* les Express.

## CRAWFISHERMEN IN A SEVERE STORM

Newport News: Louis Brandt and Albert Duarte had an exciting time Thursday morning coming up from their crawfish camp at Arch Rock. They started out before daylight and picked up their live cars containing the crawfish and started for the Newport wharf to catch the morning express. They had three live cars in a small power dory and were towing another dory behind them when the southeast squall struck them, off the bar. The rudder broke from the effects of the storm and the dory broke loose. The sea at once became very choppy and the boys had to steer the launch around with oars while trying to pick up the dory. Although in great danger of being capsized in the top-heavy launch, they managed to secure the dory and reach the Newport wharf in safety, although they were very wet and cold when they arrived.

### A LIVE SPORT LETTER By Hal Sheridan

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Something over fifty baseball players who once did the carrying in the big leagues are on the rolls of and receiving salaries from the many times dead, dying or buried Federal League.

At least twenty-five of this number are what is generally termed "big league stars," or "drawing cards," or rather they were—until they did the hurdle to the Feds. Since their refusal to draw money from Organized Baseball magnates every player is a has-been, a no-account and a ne'er-do-well.

Since joining the Federals they have, one and all, become glass-eyed, wobble-eyed, and stumbling. Not one of these jumping players is worth the powder and shot to blow him up. To think that any baseball club manager or owner would pay any one of them money coined in one of Uncle Sam's various mints is the greatest joke in the world.

These statements are not exaggerations. There isn't a possible chance for contradicting any of them. Organized Baseball managers who have lost these players say so. They repeat their assertions almost daily. They must be true—at least that's the argument the O. B. people use to kid themselves along.

Nevertheless and notwithstanding, the Federals keep roping O. B. players into the Federal reservation. A glimpse of the list shows the following among the many who have jumped and immediately thereafter have been found to be afflicted with halt, lameness and blindness: Walter Johnson, Rube Marquard, Vin Campbell, Eddie Plank, Cy Falkenberg, Joe Finker, Tom Seaton, Rankin Johnson, Chief Johnson, Hal Chase, Russell Ford, Bill Rariden, Bob Green, Otis Crandall, A. Marsans, Claud Hendrix, Rollie Zeider, Steve Evans, Bill McKenine, Otto Knabe, Mike Doolan, George Stovall, Chief Wilson, Revel Oakes, Frank LaPorte, Leon Ames, Arthur Hofman, Grover Hartley, Al Bridwell and R. E. Erwin.

And so the list goes and grows as it goes.



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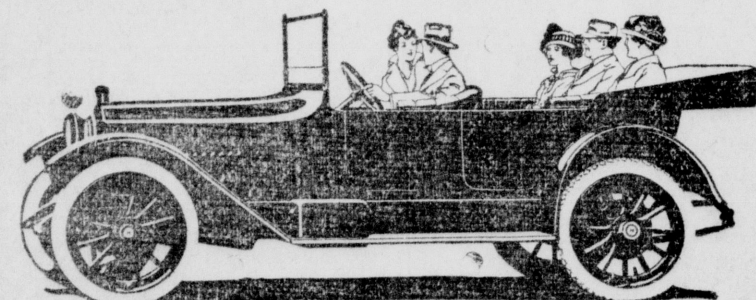
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Improved starting and lighting  
Non-stallable motor  
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Left drive  
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Springs self-lubricating  
Larger wheels

Larger gasoline tank  
One-man type top  
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Lock on ignition and lighting switches  
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Throttle lever on steering wheel  
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Exclusive non-glare dimmer headlights  
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## HANDSOME OFFER TO COUNTRY CLUB BY JAMES IRVINE

James Irvine, who, by virtue of donating the grounds upon which are located the clubhouse and golf course of the Orange County Country Club, made it possible for the club to become a reality, has further substantially aided the club by recently making a handsome offer which provides that when the club membership reaches 275 he will make the club a present of \$2000.

## BIG FLOCK OF WHITE BRANT ALONG COAST

Newport News: A flock of several hundred white brant has arrived from the north and spends the most of its time on the ocean between here and Laguna. The geese are feeding east of the San Joaquin Gun Club, where no hunting is allowed, and as they pass to and from the ocean out of gun shot range they are in comparatively little danger. The white brant are of food, but just the same there are few hunters who would not go a long distance out of their way to kill one.

THIS—AND FIVE CENTS  
DON'T MISS THIS. Cut out this slip, enclose five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a free trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound for coughs, colds and croup; Foley Kidney Pills, for pain in sides and back; Pills; they empty the bowels freely, tone up your stomach, cure your constipation and purify the blood. 25c at Druggists. Bucklen's Arnica Salve excellent for piles.

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Mentally Unhappy—Physically Dull  
The Liver, sluggish and inactive, first shows itself in a mental state—unhappy and critical. Never is there joy in living as when the stomach and liver are doing their work. Keep your liver active and healthy by using Dr. King's New Life Pills; they empty the bowels freely, tone up your stomach, cure your constipation and purify the blood. 25c at Druggists. Bucklen's Arnica Salve excellent for piles.

## Announcement Of the Opening of An Agency Here for Mission Motor Trucks

One - Half Ton Delivery Car \$875 (without top) . . . . .  
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We have five of these trucks now in use in Orange county and all are giving excellent satisfaction.

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